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THE COAL TRAGEDY.

Condition of the Survivors of the West Pittston Calamity.

Description of the Scenes Within the Pit.

Strong Men Caused to Prayer Invoking Divine Aid.

They Sing Hymns and Kiss Each Other in the Agonizing Trial.

Opening of the Investigation by the Coroner.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

PITTSTON, Penn., May 29.—The morning trainsen the roads leading into this place from Wilkesbarre, Scranton, and other places, have brought hundreds of people, most of them visiting the locality of the late disaster, but out of mere curiosity. There is little to be seen, however, beyond smoking ruins of the breaker and the large piles of coal on fire. Nineteen are now dead, one having died at 8 A. M. to-day, among those conveyed to the Luzerne House on being taken from the mine. All have been removed to their homes. But four of those taken out alive have yet regained their senses, and though physicians profess to have strong hopes that most of them will recover, the sufferers certainly look as though death even now holds them in its grasp. THOS. EDWARDS and his son, aged twelve years, have both so far recovered as to be able to walk about. EDWARDS' story of their trials in the mine is truly heartrending. Strong men, unused to prayer, invoked Divine interference for safety. Hymns were sung and the men kissed each other in the very agony of despair. The Coroner's inquest began at 10 o'clock this morning. The testimony is not yet concluded, but that taken will go far toward censuring, and perhaps severely punishing, both the officers of the Company and Mine Inspector T. M. WILLIAMS, of Wilkesbarre.

The funeral of HIRAM OGDEN, second man taken out of the mine, is now in progress—thousands of people on foot and a long line of carriages form the procession. The others will be buried to-morrow.

Preparations for the Funeral of the Victims at Scranton.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

SCRANTON, May 29.—Great preparations are making for the funerals of the dead. The bodies of DAVID EDWARDS, JNO. LLOYD, BENJ. JONES and GEORGE OZILL will be brought to this city for burial to-morrow in the cemetery at Hyde Park, where several of the Avondale unfortunates were buried. The programme of exercises is arranged, and the ceremonies will be very imposing. The Hyde Park miners and people generally will turn out in an omnibus, and all business will be suspended.

THE CORONER'S INQUEST.

Testimony of the Witnesses—The Cause of the Fire—Condition of the Mine—Impertinence of the Inspector.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

SCRANTON, May 29.—The Coroner's inquest adjourned at 6 o'clock this evening. The jurors are—James Walsh, M. Bohn, S. T. Barrel, Morgan Jones, James Fitzpatrick, J. W. Freeman. The following is the evidence taken:

JAMES MCDERMOTT, sworn: I was engineer in charge of the machinery on Saturday at West Pittston shaft; the first I knew of the fire was when Superintendent KENDRICK came into the engine-house, when the large doors were opened; I saw the fire and gave the alarm at the bottom of the shaft; also gave the alarm through the speaking tube I went into the engine-house to relieve with the Superintendent, and all was in good order; I don't know the exact time the fire broke out; the engine could be easily disconnected; the Superintendent and myself measured the air, and found 25,000 cubic feet of air passing through the air; the cracker-box was fifty or sixty feet higher than the floor of the engine-house; there was no communication of alarm between me and the cracker-box; RICHARD, the fireman, oiled the machinery; the fire might occur by a lamp in a journal; I don't know what the condition of the air was in the mine; there was no place to get at it but the one; Inspector WILLIAMS was in the mine last Thursday; he made no complaint to me; the slope began about some eight months ago.

DAVID HARRIS, sworn: I am a miner; have worked in the mine about three months; I stopped work about the 16th of January; I was out about three months; was not in the mine at the time of the accident; the ventilation was very poor; the slope is 115.2 feet from the bottom of the shaft; the weigh-master at the bottom of the shaft gives signals from the engineer to the men in the mines; THOS. PHILLIPS is Weigh-master, and it was he who came up in the first carriage, after getting the signal of danger, and he did so without passing the signal to the men inside; RICHARD CLARK, footman, came up with PHILLIPS; I suppose there were fifty men in the mines; never came up with him; there are fourteen chambers, two men in each, and two with four men each; also four drivers and footmen, two runners, two boys tending doors, one crackman, one man at the fan, and some others I didn't know, and also four mules and two horses. In my opinion there was no opportunity to sink another shaft fifteen feet beyond the mouth of the shaft. Work for the improvement of ventilation has been going on; the Inspector was in my gang-way last Tuesday, and I told him the air was very bad; after blasting the smoke remained nearly all day; I have not done anything at the new slope for the past three weeks on account of the gas; not more than three in a shaft can work the slope.

Superintendent KENDRICKS testified: Inspector WILLIAMS has been all through the mines with me several times, and given directions to have whistles at the top and bottom of the shafts; WILLIAMS and I measured the air last Thursday in the passage, and found 1,160 cubic feet per minute.

Inspector WILLIAMS, sworn: I am Mine Inspector; I visit the different mines at my convenience; I was at the West Pittston Shaft last Thursday. (Here WILLIAMS exhibited a panorama view of the mine giving the result of his last visit, the substance of which was that there were 1,500 cubic feet to the square inch per minute.)

At this stage of the proceedings Inspector WILLIAMS, after having received the usual courtesies, sat on his defense and indulged in the most insulting remarks, reflecting upon the Coroner and jury, when he was requested to leave.

The testimonies generally were to the effect that the mine was very badly ventilated. The inquest was adjourned at 6 o'clock, to meet to-morrow morning. The testimony is not yet all taken.

Woman Suffrage in Boston.

BOSTON, May 29.—The New-England Woman Suffrage Association held its initial meeting in Tremont Temple this evening. Mrs. JULIA WARD HOWE presided. The attendance was small, owing to an admission fee being charged at the door. Mrs. ISABELLA BEECHER HOOKER was the first speaker. She closed by quoting at considerable length from Mrs. JOSEPHINE BUTLER'S essay on the reclamation of fallen women in support of her argument against licensing prostitution as a public necessity; with thinking women as the victims. Rev. GILBERT HAVENS said the woman suffrage movement was growing in strength, as the principle that it was first endured by the public, then pitied, and it now had a good prospect of being embraced. A debate at the Legislature for hanging on three days, at $1,800 per them, to enable a little more and female street-walkers alike, concluded his long speech. Mrs. JULIA WARD HOWE, GRACE GREENWOOD and LUCY BLACKWELL were the other speakers.

CUBA.

Surrender and Capture of Insurgents—Havana Volunteers Declined by Valmaseda.

HAVANA, May 29.—Sixteen armed men belonging to LIBRE'S band recently surrendered in the Moron district. Subsequently the troops, with their aid, brought within the Spanish lines ninety more persons. VALMASEDA has declined, for the present, the offer of 2,000 Havana volunteers, to take the field near Moron, considering his present force of troops sufficient for the work. The arrest of suspected partiest at Villa del Cobre and Santiago de Cuba is continued.

THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

Newspaper Discussion of the Treaty.

MONTREAL, May 29.—The *Witness* says:

Our Canadian Executive is going to exercise the same privilege as the Queen herself of ratifying a treaty without asking the consent of Parliament. This will, we presume, be final as far certain of its clauses are concerned, but legislation may be required to open the canals. All this is for the best, for two reasons. First, any solution of international difficulties is better than the arbitration of war; second, the Dominion of Canada, will, we hope, gain by all the concessions in the treaty, as well as by all she exacts through it. There are certainly various points in which we might justly have claimed more; but, upon the whole, the treaty is, we think, a happy solution of the complication of difficulties.

TORONTO, May 29.—The Ottawa correspondent of the *Leader* says no explanations will be given why Sir JOHN YOUNG signed the Treaty of Washington until after the treaty has been signed in England.

An Inman Captain and Surgeon Drowned—Shallow and Dark Hulls.

HALIFAX, May 29.—Yesterday morning Capt. MATHEWSON and Dr. MCKEAN, of the Inman steamer *City of Durham*, went down the harbor in a small boat on a fishing excursion. About 11 o'clock a gale of wind arose, and some men at work at Fort Clarence, on the Dartmouth side, observed a boat, answering the description of the Captain's boat, sailing about the harbor. Their attention was attracted to the boat several times, as she was scudding along under a jib and reefed mainsail. Suddenly the boat disappeared and the mast could be hardly traced floating on the water, but nothing could be seen of the persons who had been in the boat and who were in uniform. A messenger was immediately sent to the city with a report of the accident, and the agent of the Inman Company dispatched a steward with row boats in search of the captain and doctor, but at the latest accounts the search had been unavailing. The boat was seen to capsize between the Red Buoy and Herring Cove, but no assistance could be rendered from the shore.

OTTAWA, Ontario, May 29.—The contract for carrying the mails between Halifax, Cork and Liverpool, has been awarded by the Canadian and Imperial Governments to HUGH ALLAN, on the same terms as formerly made with the Inman line.

ALBANY.

Vote on the Canal Amendment Bill and the 12th Other Acts of the Tweed Legislature.

ALBANY, May 29.—Gov. HOFFMAN sent to the Secretary of State, to-day, 140 bills not approved. Among them are the bill abolishing the office of Canal Superintendent, the Code Amendment bill, the bill relating to insane persons, and more than thirty bills creating savings banks, trust companies and other corporations. The Governor leaves to-morrow morning, on an official visit to Clinton Prison, and will be absent during the week. The following are the objections indorsed on the Code Amendment bill:

"This bill, which as appears by its records, met with no opposition either in the Senate or Assembly, receiving twenty votes in the Senate and nearly the Assembly, and no negative votes in my opinion several objectionable provisions to which public attention has been sufficiently called."

The following is the indorsement on the bill abolishing the office of Canal Superintendent:

This bill substantially repeals the law of 1870, and, it seems to me, is not just to the Canal Board. The first year of canal management, under last year's law, was necessarily, from causes well understood, a year of extraordinary expenditure. The present one ought to be, with harmony of action among the members of the Board, one not only of reduced expenditure but of increased revenue. The Canal Commissioners are members of the Canal Board, and not only have a voice in it, but as clearly appears by the official report of Comptroller ALLEN, Attorney-General CHAUNCEY FORD and Lieut.-Gov. BEACH, dated June 30, 1870, they have now separately, from the Board, very full powers as well as very great responsibility. The repairs and all the ordinary expenditure upon the canal must, under the existing law, be made by and under the direction of the Commissioners, and although the superintendents are appointed by the Canal Board, the Commissioners have power to remove them for incompetency, unfaithfulness, or neglect of duty. Inasmuch as the Commissioners already possess such full powers, I am of the opinion that the policy embodied in the law of last year, giving to the Canal Board certain other powers, should be tested by a further trial before depriving the Board of the powers of appointments and supervision thereby conferred.

THE PRESBYTERIANS.

Proceedings of the General Assembly at Chicago—The Present Organization Equal to All Their Wants.

CHICAGO, May 29.—The report of the Judicial Committee was presented in the Presbyterian Assembly today, and recommended, in reference to the complaint of certain members of the Session of the Church of Eaton, Ohio, against the Cincinnati Synod, that the complainants have leave to withdraw the complaint without prejudice, and be advised to present the same to that Synod. The report also recommended that the complaint of CHRISTIAN KERN and others be again referred to the New-Orleans Presbytery, with the injunction that the complainants be allowed a hearing. The report was adopted. Rev. Dr. BACKUS, from the Committee of twenty-one, vindicated the plan of the Committee. Messrs. GIBSON and BOOTH, of New-York, made addresses in favor of adopting the report. Rev. Dr. MUSGROVE made an elaborate and lengthy speech, strongly urging the prompt and decisive rejection of the whole scheme. He thought it lacked simplicity and economy, and would prove a failure as regards effectiveness and the collection of funds. He predicted, if adopted, a monopoly would be erected with a vast power of patronage, and would become grasping, selfish, and arbitrary, corrupting ultimately, and controlling the Assembly itself. He implored the House to kill the measure as a plan hurtful to the interests of Christ's Kingdom; the present Church machinery was abundantly operative. Under it its growth had been relatively greater than the Methodists or of the growth of the population of the country. It had collected $10,000,000 last year. We wanted nothing better. Pending the consideration of the report the Assembly adjourned till 2½ P. M.

A Shooting Affray in Arkansas—One Man Killed.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 29.—A shooting affray occurred yesterday, at Arkansas, opposite here. WILLIAM COLLIER, proprietor of a hotel, with a party of friends, were shooting at a target in the yard of the hotel, when they were ordered by a colored Magistrate and constable to desist, which they did, retiring to the hotel. Words ensued between COLLIER and the constable, and the latter drew a pistol and fired at COLLIER. One of the party then fired at the constable, when he and his companions left and soon afterward returned with a large party of negroes, all armed, who, after calling upon COLLIER to come out, fired a volley into the house, slightly wounding COLLIER. COLLIER'S party returned the fire and killed JOHN RAYNOR, and the others fled. Last night a great many citizens of Hopefield came over to this city, fearing an attack, and those remaining took refuge in a wharf-boat and armed themselves. This afternoon Sheriff PHILLIPS arrived, and it is said he has arrested the persons charged with participating in the affray.

THE PACIFIC SLOPE.

The Case of Mrs. Fair—A San Francisco Magistrate on the Chinese Question—The John Brown Family.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—The sentence on Mrs. FAIR has been postponed until Thursday, to give time to the prosecution to file counter affidavits in answer to those of the defense seeking to impeach BEACH, one of the jurors. Strong-minded females occupied places in the Court-room as usual, when Mrs. FAIR appeared this morning, accompanied by her mother. A strong effort is being made to obtain a new trial. It will not be possible to obtain another jury, in case the effort is successful.

Judge SAWYER, of the Police Court, today dismissed a charge of robbery against a white man made by a Chinaman, deciding to abide by the decision of the Supreme Court of California against the admissibility of Chinese evidence, notwithstanding the KULUX bill. The family of JOHN BROWN, residing in California, desire it to be stated that the report that they need assistance is unfounded. They are well provided for and will not accept assistance from any source. LAWRENCE SHERLOCK shot THOMAS MELONY in the head yesterday. MELONY is supposed to be fatally wounded. Both men were Australians.

A Prize-fight Today.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

SCRANTON, Penn., May 30—1:30 A. M.—The prize-fight between JERRY DONOVAN and JACK CONWAY, light weights, is to take place at daylight near this city. Every available vehicle has been chartered by the sports and others. The streets about the central part of the city are full of people and conveyances.

Mr. Greeley in Texas.

GALVESTON, Texas, May 29.—On Saturday night a large crowd assembled in front of Exchange Hotel to hear Mr. GREELEY'S address on the political topics of the day.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis and Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 30—1½ P. M.—The barometer is rising with westerly wind and clearing-up weather on the Pacific coast, and is falling with cloudy and threatening weather in the Lower Mississippi Valley. The winds continue south and south-east from the South Atlantic to the interior. Rain has fallen during the day in Tennessee and North Carolina and southward. The weather is generally but little changed since Sunday.

PROBABILITIES.

It is probable that the weather will continue without material change on Tuesday. Threatening and rainy weather is exceedingly probable on the South Atlantic coast.

City Meteorological Bureau.

The following observations show the temperature, &c., yesterday, at the Central Park Mineral Springs:

Temperature.	2 A.M.	6 A.M.	10 A.M.	2 P.M.	6 P.M.
Degrees Fahrenheit	62	60	70	67	65

Height of bar. 29.50 29.50 29.50 29.50

Wet-bulb hygrometer at noon, degrees Fahrenheit, 72.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Decoration Day in Boston, Mass., today, will be more generally observed than ever before. The banks will be closed, the civil Courts adjourned, and many business places closed during the afternoon. The floral arrangements are very extensive.

Decoration Day was observed yesterday in Newport, all the military of the city joining in the procession, while Fort Adams fired minute guns. An oration was delivered by Gen. C. C. VAN ZANDT, and a poem was read by Rev. CHARLES T. BROOKS.

The annual convention of the German Catholic Union of the United States assembled on Sunday, in St. Michael's Church, Baltimore. Yesterday the visiting and local societies formed a procession, several thousand strong.

The receipts from internal revenue for this month are not more than half of what they were during last May, owing to the reduction of taxes, but the receipts from customs are larger than were anticipated.

A large party of citizens visited St. Charles, Mo., yesterday, to celebrate the opening of the new railroad bridge across the Missouri River, which will be immediately used by the North Missouri Railroad.

The Philadelphia German citizens celebrated Whit Monday yesterday, by visiting suburban resorts, some in procession, headed by music; others went as they were charming, and all passed off joyously.

Fifty-eight millions of sheets of paper, especially manufactured for the Government currency purposes, have been counted and given into the possession of the Treasury Department.

President GRANT has deferred his visit to Long Branch until Thursday. He will, today, attend the decoration of the graves of deceased soldiers at Arlington.

The Treasurer of the American Educational Society reports the receipts for the year to be $26,000; available funds, $32,000; disbursements during the year, $30,400.

The steam-boat *Far West*, which arrived at Fort Benton, Montana, yesterday morning, was attacked by Sioux Indians at Cow Island. Nobody was hurt.

PATRICK CUMMINGS, a blacksmith, was drowned on Sunday, at Newark, N. J., by going beyond his depth while bathing in the canal.

The report, widely published, that H. M. MEADE, Paymaster in the Navy, has been dismissed, is untrue.

Seven hundred thousand dollars in coin were transferred by telegraph yesterday from the Sub Treasury at San Francisco to New-York.

ELLORY C. DANIELL, late cashier of the Webster National Bank, at Boston, has been indicted for embezzling $10,000.

A cable telegram announces the death of Mrs. FIELD, the mother of KATE FIELD, on board the steamer *Russia*, at Queenstown, 26th inst.

The Bohemians of Cleveland and vicinity yesterday celebrated by a procession, &c., the anniversary of the martyrdom of JOHN HUSS.

Rev. GEO. E. PIERCE, Ex-President of the Western Reserve College, died at Hudson, Ohio, on Saturday, aged seventy-six.

WM. P. BRAMAN, a farmer at Rocky Point, R. I., was drowned yesterday.

Subscriptions to the new loan, yesterday, up to noon, were $200,000.

The farming interests in New-Hampshire are suffering seriously from droughts.

GEORGE D. BUTTERFIELD, age fifty-two, shot himself in Charlestown, Mass., yesterday.

A heavy rain-storm prevailed yesterday at Augusta, Ga.

Internal revenue receipts yesterday were $407,361.

Railroad Accidents.

The Maine Central freight train ran off the track at Belgrade, yesterday, instantly killing the fireman, EUGENE GULLIVER, and injuring engineer AUSTIN. The accident was caused by expansion of the rails.

The Grand Trunk Express No. 2, from the East, ran off the track on Thursday, near Newcastle, Me. The lamp in the mail car was overturned and the car was burned with the mails. Nobody was hurt.

SAMUEL DURAND, aged forty-five, was run over yesterday by a train on the Mount Holly and Burlington Railroad at Mount Holly, N. J., and killed.

JOHN MALLOY, a tailor, from New-York, was run over by the Erie cars, at Middletown, N. Y., on Sunday night, and killed.

The Rowdies Quieted.

Superintendent KELSO was fully prepared last evening to summarily stop a sparring exhibition advertised to be given for the benefit of one DWYER at the Casino, corner of Houston and Mott streets. The roughs, however, had been so frightened from their accustomed ways by recent Police vigor that no attempt was made to give the exhibition, and there was therefore no opportunity to use the warrant which Justice DOWLING had issued.

WASHINGTON.

Prompt Action of the Government on the Indian Troubles.

The Hall Arctic Expedition—Personnel of the Staff—A New Text-Book—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The Government is taking prompt action in regard to the Indian disturbances just reported. Commissioner PARKER today wrote a letter to the Secretary of the Interior, calling attention to the troubles with the Apaches in Arizona and New-Mexico, and recommending that the Board of Indian Commissioners be requested to send one or more of their number to Arizona without delay to co-operate with the military authorities in their efforts to collect and locate these Indians on the White Mountain reservation. The representative of the Board is further requested to open communication with all the Indians he can, and try to persuade them that a general war will be their ruin, and that permanent peace is their only hope. There was an appropriation of $70,000 made by the last Congress for the purpose of collecting the Apaches of Arizona and New-Mexico on a reservation, and promote peace and civilization among them, the appropriation to be expended under the direction of the President. In view of the exigency which is present, Commissioner PARKER recommends that half of this amount be expended at the discretion of the members of the Peace Commission sent to Arizona by the Board, if one shall be sent, which this letter requests. Secretary DELANO sent a copy of the letter of Gen. PARKER to Mr. BRUNOT, President of the Indian Board, making the request indicated by the letter. He also sent a copy to the Secretary of War requesting that orders be sent to the proper officers of the army in New-Mexico to afford every facility in their power to the Commissioners to accomplish the object of their visit.

THE HALL ARCTIC EXPEDITION.

The *Polaris* is almost ready to sail, and many of the stores for the voyage are being placed on board. Capt. HALL is here superintending the arrangements in person. A great deal of satisfaction is expressed by those interested in the expedition at the thorough manner in which all the preparations for the exploration have been made, which is due to the liberal appropriation of $100,000 made by Congress. The vessel sails from here, it is expected by Capt. HALL, next Saturday, for New-York, and he intends to start on his voyage from New-York two weeks later. The surgeon-naturalist who takes the place in the company that Dr. WALKER resigned, is Dr. EMIL BESSELS, of Heidelburg, Germany, who went to Spitzbergen and Nova Zembla with the Swedish Arctic expedition. A young man from the observatory of Ann Arbor, Mich., will go as astronomer, and as meteorologist an officer from the Storm Signal Corps of the War Department, it is understood, will be detailed. This expedition starts under better auspices, on account of more perfect equipment and advantages gained from past experience, than any expedition for Arctic exploration ever before fitted out. and Capt. HALL and his associates are most hopeful of achieving satisfactory results. Mr. MORTON, who is third officer, and who is the only living explorer who ever saw the open Polar Sea, has the utmost confidence that the *Polaris* will find a route by which to enter it. Among the visitors to the vessel today was Senator SUMNER, who appeared greatly interested in what he saw. A number of large planks for sledges are among the things on board. Capt. HALL says he has to have the natives make his sledges, since they can do it much better than white men. A neat little cabin handsomely carpeted is fitted up, and a cabinet-organ is now in it which a manufacturer has presented, and which will be taken along, if room can be spared, for amusement in the long Winter nights. Capt. HALL will remain here till the vessel starts for New-York, and then he will proceed there by rail. He has partially decided to give to the public, before he starts from New-York, an account of the preparation for the voyage and what he hopes to accomplish, written by himself or with his approval.

A LAW TEXT-BOOK.

The publication of a valuable text-book ordered by the Senate two years ago, has been begun by the Congressional Printer. It has been compiled with great care and labor by Major BEN PERLEY POORE, who was designated for the duty. It is to contain the organic laws of the United States. There will be comprised in it the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of the United States, the Colonial Charters, and the successive Constitutions of every State with notes. It will make a large volume, will be elegantly printed, and an edition will be published for distribution.

NAVAL MATTERS.

The *Tallapoosa*, now at the navy-yard here, is expected to sail on a cruise East as far as Portsmouth, N. H., some time this week. Though the day is not fixed it is expected, though this also is not fully arranged, that the vessel will, in the first part of its cruise, take President GRANT to Long Branch.

INTERNAL REVENUE DECISION.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue today made a decision in the case of the tax claimed to be due the Government from the New-York Central Railroad Company. The decision is against the Road for the full amount—over $1,600,000.

THE CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

The Christian Association people with a large number of friends and visitors participated in a very enjoyable excursion down the Potomac today as the guests of Gov. COOKE. The steamers *Wawasett*, *Charlotte*, *Vanderbilt* and *National* took on board over 1,200 persons shortly after 9 A. M., and the sail and visit to this historical spot were rendered very agreeable indeed, though the weather was unseasonably warm. To-night large numbers of the delegates left for their homes. President WANNAMAKER, who has won many high encomiums for the very impartial and generous manner in which he presided over the Convention's deliberations, and Hon. GEORGE H. STUART, left for Philadelphia on the 8:40 P. M. train.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

SEN. COLFAX'S CONDITION.

The following bulletin was posted today at the door of the Vice-President's room:

"The Vice-President slept better than on any night since he was attacked. He is able to sit up quite a while at a time, and now only needs strength, which he is recovering, though slowly."

THE COURT OF CLAIMS.

The Court of Claims, in the case of CARLTON & HENDERSON against the United States, in the decision recently delivered, says, as to the proceeds of sixty-eight bales of cotton captured by the Union forces in Alabama, in 1864, their title is made out. The claimants are subjects of Great Britain, and at the breaking out of the rebellion were residents of Georgia, residing in that State during the whole period of the war. The only obstacle to their recovery grows out of the fact that they became manufacturers of saltpetre, and sold nitres for the express purpose of making gunpowder, having worked in a cave, the lease of which was purchased by the so-called Confederate States, having received payment for the same from a rebel officer, instead of observing their obligations of neutrality, which their alien character imposed. They voluntarily and deliberately supplied an article of prime necessity, and thus gave aid and comfort to the enemy. This is a fat bar to their suit. The Court, by another decision, allows $26,000 to FRANCIS S. WILLIS, a physician residing in Savannah for 134 bales of captured cotton. Throughout the rebellion he warmly opposed the secession of his State. DANIEL HAAS, a subject of France, residing in Charleston, is allowed $19,128 for ninety bales of cotton seized in Charleston in 1865, and the Court also allowed $15,345 on another case. Other cases were dismissed owing to the claimants not establishing their loyalty.

The case of ANTHONY W. HENRY against the United States, was decided. The claimant had acted as a commissioned officer, but had received no pay for the services, and hence the suit. The Court recognizes the objections raised on the argument by the Assistant Attorney-General, and believes they are entitled to very serious consideration. But this case affects not merely the claimant but also a meritorious class of citizens who certainly deserve the privilege of having their equitable claims reviewed by the Supreme Court. The right of appeal in this case being exclusively with the defendant, judgment *pro forma* was entered in favor of the claimant for $1,118. In the New-York, Newfoundland and London Telegraph Company's case against the United States the Court say that the conversation between Secretary SEWARD and WILSON G. HUNT, at the dinner given to President JOHNSON at DELMONICO'S on the 20th of August, 1866, was merely incidental, and implied no contract; but the claimants can maintain their action in the corporate name of the Company. The Secretary of State had ample power and authority to bind the United States for the fair and reasonable rates of charges, for the transmission of the dispatches involved in this action from Washington to the respective points of distribution in London and Paris. There was no specific or formal contract between the parties, other than what arose by law. The published rates of charges or pay are not so exorbitant under all the circumstances of the case as to justify the Court in reducing them to a lower standard. The judgment in this suit was rendered in the usual form in dollars and cents, without distinguishing the kind of money in which the debt must be paid. The amount is $39,240 75, which the Company claimed should be paid in gold. But, as the business was transacted since the passage of the Legal-tender law, the obligation can be discharged in paper.

THE NEW-YORK CENTRAL.

Taxation of the Eighty Per Cent. Certificates—Decision of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue—The Tax of $2,151,600 to be Collected.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The following decision is announced this afternoon by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
INTERNAL REVENUE BUREAU,
WASHINGTON, May 29, 1871.

John M. Bailey, Esq., Collector of Internal Revenue, Fourteenth District, New-York:

SIR: The following decision is announced as to the validity of an Internal Revenue tax assessed against the New-York Central Railroad Company on certain amounts of money represented by certain interest certificates issued by said Company. The facts are as follows:

On the 16th day of December, 1869, the New-York Central Railroad Company, by its duly authorized Board of Directors, adopted the following resolution:

Whereas, This Company has hitherto expended of its earnings for the purpose of construction and equipping its road, and the purchase of real estate and other properties, with a view to the increase of its traffic, moneys equal in amount to eighty per cent. of the capital stock of the Company, and

Whereas, The several shareholders of the Company are entitled to evidences of such expenditure and to reimbursement of the same at some convenient future period. Now, therefore

Resolved, That a certificate, signed by the President and Treasurer of this Company, be issued to the stockholders severally, declaring that each stockholder is entitled to eighty per cent. of the amounts of the capital stock held by him, payable ratably with the other certificates issued under the resolutions, at the pleasure of the Company out of its future earnings, with dividends thereon at the same rate as may be declared on the shares of the capital stock of the Company, and that such certificate shall be convertible into stock of the Company whenever the Company shall be authorized by increase its capital stock to an amount sufficient for such conversion.

Resolved, That such certificates be delivered to the stockholders of the Company, at the Union Trust Company, in the City of New-York, on presentation of their certificates of stock, and that the receipts provided for in these resolutions, shall be indorsed on the stock certificates.

Under the authority conferred by these resolutions certain certificates were issued in the following form:

The New-York Central Railroad Company No. —— Interest Certificate.

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In examining this assessment to see if it is in accordance with this law, title pertinent to inquire upon what basis these interest certificates were issued, and whether that basis was sufficient or not to the tax of five per centum under the requirements of section 122 above quoted. To answer this enquiry we find that the Board of Directors of the New-York Central Railroad Company on the 16th day of December, 1869, stated in the following resolution, in clear and precise terms, what those interest certificates represented, viz.:

Whereas, This Company has hitherto expended of its earnings for the purpose of construction and equipping its road, and the purchase of real estate and other properties, with a view to the increase of its traffic, moneys equal in amount to eighty per cent. of the capital stock of the Company, and

Whereas, The several shareholders of the Company are entitled to evidences of such expenditure and to reimbursement of the same at some convenient future period. Now, therefore

Resolved, That a certificate, signed by the President and Treasurer of this Company, be issued to the stockholders severally, declaring that each stockholder is entitled to eighty per cent. of the amounts of the capital stock held by him, payable ratably with the other certificates issued under the resolutions, at the pleasure of the Company out of its future earnings, with dividends thereon at the same rates and times as dividends shall be paid on the shares of the capital stock of the Company, and that such certificate shall be convertible into stock of the Company whenever the Company shall be authorized by increase its capital stock to an amount sufficient for such conversion.

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FRENCH REVENGE.

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The Swiss Will Surrender None But Criminals.

Shooting the Insurgents by Fifties and Hundreds.

Additional Names of the Victims of Insurgent Fury.

Enthusiasm of the Parisians Over Their Release.

Changarnier Apologizes for Marshal Bazaine.

AFTER THE STRUGGLE.

A Movement to the Rear Messages Surrender of the Last

CUBAN AFFAIRS.

Matters in Havana—Ammunition—Supplies for the Insurgents—The Cigar-Making Trade—Tidings from Santiago—Trials, Sentences, Pardons and Executions—Disorderly Volunteers.

From Our Own Correspondent.

HAVANA, Saturday, May 20, 1871.

The information which I gave some time ago, that several small cargoes of ammunition had been landed in the Eastern Department and that they had reached the interior successfully, was laughed at by a portion of the Spaniards in that department. But others, who knew better, went to work, and these found out that something else besides mere ammunition was landed, as you will see by the notes of the Santiago de Cuba correspondent below. The correspondent of the *Diario de la Marina* confirms my report in speaking of an consignment. "To judge by the paper in which the cartridges had been wrapped," it says, "they were manufactured in South America, which proves that, notwithstanding all the precautions taken, the insurgents continue to receive some aid from abroad." The Government knew this long ago, and now the people also.

THE CIGAR-MAKING TRADE.

A question of vital interest to Cuba is now engaging the attention of those who have any money invested on the island: that concerning the single Cuban trade of cigar-making. Complaints are made that the manufacturers of cigars in Havana cannot live if they must pay the present high prices of raw material. In that case the manufacturers must either close their establishments or else raise the price of their wares. But an unsophisticated person, who would place implicit reliance on such statements, would perhaps like to know how all manufacturers of cigars in Havana have amassed fortunes of a greater or less magnitude, while the cigar-makers themselves are all poor, and the owners of the tobacco plantations, with but rare exceptions, are always in debt to the manufacturer. A writer in the *Voz de Cuba* says that this year foreign tobacco has been sold and smoked in Havana, and your correspondent understands that Florida tobacco has been imported here, manufactured into cigars, and then sent abroad again as legitimate Vuelta Abajo. At any rate, the future of Florida, as a tobacco-growing country, is far more likely than that of Cuba.

HAVANA MISCELLANEOUS GOSSIP.

Not only the Generals of the regular army, but also some of the big bugs among the volunteers, are abandoning the country which they love so much, and returning to Spain. Colonel ARTUDIA, commanding the Second Battalion Lageros, will leave shortly for Spain, and Mr. JOAQUIN PARRA, the owner of the Louvre Coffee-house, is making strenuous efforts to obtain the position. PARRA is a smart man, and anxious to accumulate not a moderate, but an immense fortune, and he knows what he is aiming at.... Judge MATA, who was hooted by the volunteers, has complained of this act to the authorities, but as he knows that such complaints will have no other effect than to make matters worse, he wisely concluded to pack his trunk. He will leave on the 30th inst.... The trouble between the civil and ecclesiastical authorities as to whom the right of administering the new cemetery and deriving the revenue therefrom, continues. The priests are not willing to have the amount produced fall into the hands of laymen whose pursuits do not allow them to appreciate the beauties of money, to the same extent as a priest who has plenty of leisure time to meditate on it.... The Spanish Casino does not like "bummers," especially Spanish "bummers," as very few creoles go to the saloons, which are occupied by the society. Many Spaniards who never belonged, or who formerly were members of the Casino, were in the habit of making themselves comfortable there, and the directors have published a warning in the journals, informing all interlopers that the janitor has orders to turn them out. Since this order has been issued the attendance of visitors has decreased notably.... A number of gentlemen, including Mr. LAFOREST, the French Consul, have been decorated with Spanish orders, the papers having come by the last mail steamer. It is understood that several other Consuls, a prominent dentist, and a few lukewarm Cubans, together with a sprinkling of successful grocers, will be the recipients of the next batch of crosses.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA.

Your Santiago de Cuba correspondent writes, under date of the 13th inst., the following exceedingly interesting account of what has lately taken place in that vicinity:

"The people of this city and its surroundings have been in a very excited state for a week past, as it was reported that the city was threatened by the insurgents. It was likely to be caused, principally by the Horruitiner matter, of which you have undoubtedly learnt something by telegraph. JUAN HORRUITINER was arrested in Bort's house, which one SOLERA, "mayoral" of a small estate of HORRUITINER, had taken from the then existing custom, these prisoners were taken to the country by Mr. BORT, to be examined at his leisure. The result was a long declaration, written and signed by HORRUITINER, confessing to sufficient to sentence twenty people, and therefore of course bringing about his own sentence. Knowing the objections usually entertained by people on trial for a capital offence to admitting anything prejudicial to themselves, it seems strange that HORRUITINER should be so anxious to prove an exception to this as actually to write out declarations so damning to himself. This circumstance, coupled with the fact that all this examination was carried on in an obscure oasis, give rise to comments more or less injurious to BORT & Co. Whether on this account, or by influence or right I do not know, but HORRUITINER appealed, and was again condemned, and again appealed with the same result, the last sentence being passed on Thursday. The execution should have taken place on Friday, but for reasons of which I am unaware was postponed until Saturday morning. Fortunately for Mr. HORRUITINER, and also for SOLERA, (in the preceding narrative the greatest always included the least,) the Cuba Submarine Telegraph had had time to establish itself in the interval between his first arrest and ultimate conviction, and telegrams were dispatched to H. E. the Captain-General and H. M. the King, who is friends in Madrid and other places. On Saturday afternoon a telegram was received from Madrid that his Majesty had ordered Gen. VALMASEDA to reprieve the condemned. But it got late on Saturday afternoon and no telegram from VALMASEDA. It was time to close the office and before it reopened at 9½ next morning the prisoners would be beyond reprieve. It was suggested that to keep the office open all night, Gen. PALANCA, our Governor, had no objection. Mr. RAMSDEN, the Company's agent, as little, and the clerks were quite ready to give their time, so the office remained open, but still no telegrams. No one doubted that Gen. VALMASEDA would be only too happy to save these two lives, but Gen. VALMASEDA was at Sancti Spiritus and might have gone on some excursion, or not have received the King's telegram. At 12 o'clock the prisoner was placed in a capilla, and about 1 o'clock, I am told, that the communication between Havana and Sancti Spiritus was temporarily interrupted. The execution was fixed at 7 A. M., and at 6½ came the looked-for dispatch from Gen. VALMASEDA. The prisoners were reprieved, and Gen. PALANCA, in full uniform, accompanied by his staff, walked down to the prision and shaking each of the condemned men by the hand apprised them of and congratulated them on their pardon, amid great enthusiasm and shouts of "Viva el Rey," and "Viva el Conde de Valmaseda." And now, it grieves me to say, some two companies of the First Battalion of Volunteers, who had assembled for the execution, on hearing the news, broke into almost open mutiny, demanded the blood of the pardoned men, insulted the staff officers, and generally behaved in a manner that seemed worthy of cannibals. To such an extent did they carry their rage and disappointment, that they refused to do any more guard duty, and the force then on guard was left for twelve hours over their time, and finally relieved by some colored volunteers. This dead-lock still continues, but of course is of little consequence, as Gen. PALANCA has more than sufficient regular troops under his command to repress any demonstration which might assume more formidable proportions than mere pothishness. The occurrence will, it may be distinguished, prove a godsend to the talking Cubans abroad, and will serve to point out the morals, and to abuse the Bisarros in general. It is a pity that the more enlightened and humane among the volunteers should be made responsible for the acts of a few, which regard for the Cobre business, Col. CANIMAR picked up a prisoner lately who showed some disposition as what is technically called "sinzing," *Anglice*, to confess, and this gentleman, being carefully handled, gave information which led to a number of arrests. Among others was that of three men, named MARCA, Catalans by birth and shop-keepers by profession, who were always loud in their patriotism and apparently devoted to the *integridad nacional*. These men, who had their store in Cobre, carried on a tremendous business with JESUS PEREZ, the famous insurgent chief of that neighborhood. The proofs were of the clearest, as the prisoners had been arrested, so to say, in the act, and the whole transaction was wound up on Saturday afternoon by the shooting of the three MOYAS and three more. The discontented volunteers here say that the MOYAS had as good a right to pardon as HORRUITINER, but there can be no parallel made between a Cuban who furnishes the rebels with supplies either from love for them or hate for the Spaniards, and a Spaniard who, while professing the most violent loyalty, carries on, for money, a large business with the insurgents.

QUASIMODO.

PERSONAL, POLITICAL, AND GENERAL.

Never were flowers put to a holier use than that which they will serve today.

The Legislature paid no attention to Hon. DAVID A. WELLS' recommendations respecting a revision of the Assessment laws.

A very learned man in Georgia, Professor in the State University, predicts much rain this year. He says fifteen inches is "due."

Gov. SCOTT, of South Carolina, offers $500 apiece for Ku-klux.

The Massachusetts Catholic State Temperance Convention is to be held in Boston today.

A Sacramento paper records that Gov. STANFORD'S horse made, on the 19th inst., half a mile in 1:07½, and a mile in 2:22¾, on a slow track.

The Cooper's Point Yacht Club of Camden are making arrangements for a regatta on the Delaware June 28. Seven different classes of yachts are to take part in it.

A Texas paper prints a list of 109 persons murdered by Indians in eleven years in one county in that State. Among the killed were many women and children.

An Illinois farmer flew into a rage in a dispute with his son on Saturday, and, snatching up a gun, shot him in the head, killing him instantly.

HENRY L. HUBLBURT, a temperance lecturer, has been lodged in jail on complaint of making an assault while drunk on a young man in Whitestown, N. Y.

It is easy to say that JEFF. DAVIS is "politically dead," but when the leading, influential citizens of Georgia and South Carolina flock around him and applaud his utterances, what then?

The Democrats of the Pennsylvania Legislature have published a long address criticising the Philadelphia Registry law, and charging upon the Republican members of that body the responsibility of the neglect to amend it.

The Kentucky Democrats had one Union man on their State ticket; but they have since counted him out, and now every man of them, from the candidate for Governor to the nominee for Register, was a Confederate officer or Confederate sympathizer.

The Ohio Democrats will hold their State Convention in Columbus on Thursday next. They will nominate candidates for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Attorney-General, Auditor of State, Treasurer of State, Supreme Judge, Member of Board of Public Works, and Commissioner of Common Schools.

About 1,000 citizens of Charleston, S. C., have asked Gen. RICHARD H. ANDERSON to be a candidate for Mayor of their city, but he has requested them not to press his name, if, as proposed by the *Republican*, a division of the city offices among honest men of both parties can be effected.

The old adobe Mission Dolores Church, in San Francisco, still stands, and mass is regularly held there on Sundays and festivals. The church has been recently renovated, and its antiquated appearance is all gone, but it will be an object of interest, and is one of the few historical landmarks of a time when the City of San Francisco was not.

Gov. GRATZ BROWN has written a letter cordially approving the proposed Convention in St. Louis of the heads of the Police force of the large cities, and suggesting that they specially consider how they may educate into good citizenship the unfortunate waifs of society, and how by reclaiming its outlaws they may diminish the now ever-increasing dangers of crime.

Some extremely conservative citizens of York County, South Carolina, have published an appeal for peace, mildly saying that while they do not wish to dictate to others, they feel convinced that a repetition of violence must disorganize society, and result in a spirit of general insubordination, the consequence of which may be depicted when too late to be remedied.

JEFF. DAVIS was serenaded in Columbia, S. C., while there, and responded, but avoided politics. The *Phœnix*, describing the affair, says that in the social circle MR. DAVIS bears himself with a quiet, graceful and easy dignity; but, called out to address a crowd, his figure straightens up; he puts the soldier on, and the tones of his voice show themselves as strong and firm as when he stood a Senator of the chosen head of a struggling Confederacy.

Miss BARBARA CASSELL, of Virginia, has just recovered $2,000 damages for breach of promise of marriage from RANDALL WADDELL. A correspondent writes that the address of the young and rapidly-rising counsel for the fair plaintiff was characterised by the most striking arguments, the finest sense of delicacy, the widest range of thought, the purest principles of morality and social life, an irresistible force of atreatment, and an oratory as brilliant as was ever listened to in the Wythe Court-house.

The Democratic Central Committee of North Carolina has published an address advising a full vote for the proposed Constitutional Convention, and urging the Democrats to carefully abstain from all violence, and to make extraordinary effort to preserve perfect peace, order and harmony, while they make a mighty effort to remove the curse and blast that now darken their hopes and destroy their substance.

Gen. JUBAL A. EARLY has been given a cane by some Lynchburg ladies, and in his letter of acknowledgments says that it was a matter of very great gratification to him that he had it in his power to be instrumental in saving from the ruthless hand of the invader that city where so many of his personal friends reside; and that he only regrets that his poor services, along with those of others who were defending the same cause, were not able to save the whole South from the disasters which befell her.

California papers tell of a man who, having lost a considerable portion of his nose in a fight, picked up the severed part and put it in his pocket, and subsequently, having gone home and bandaged what was left, put on his best suit and started for a surgeon. When the doctor was ready to reunite the separated parts, he called for the piece, and, the mutilated man, to his horror, found that he had left it at home, and after searching vainly in all his pockets, said: "I beg pardon, doctor; it's a rough joke on me, but I left my nose at home in the other vest."

One of the pent-up men in the burning mine at Pittston, Penn., says: "After shutting ourselves in we sat down together, all anxious, some despairing, some hoping we would see daylight again. About 6 o'clock some of them went to sleep, and I tried to wake them up, but they would sleep. Again we shook hands with each other, kissed each other, and all prayed. Some of the men were crying. We who were awake were anxious to hear some sign of salvation coming to us. I opened the door and went through to the bottom of the shaft, but almost failed to come back. Since then I remember nothing—it seems as if I had been dreaming."

Strawberry Culture in California—Extents of the Yield.

From the San Francisco Alta, May 22.

One of the most profitable classes of land in the State is that irrigated by artesian wells in Santa Clara Valley. This is the main district for strawberry culture, which probably now occupies 300 acres or more. This is the most productive year for strawberries in the experience of California. The vines bear more abundantly than ever before, and there are also more of them. So many, in fact, that the business is overdone, and the prices have fallen so low that little chance is left for profit. The best fields of vines in their third and fourth years will yield from 4,000 to 6,000 pounds per acre, and the wholesale price in this city last week was five cents per pound, making a gross yield of $200 or $300 per acre, though some were sold as low as two and a half cents. The cost of picking, two cents; of railroad freights one and a half cent; drayage in San Francisco one quarter cent, and commission eight per cent. The amount received here is from 50,000 to 70,000 pounds daily, indicating a lively consumption for a city of 150,000 inhabitants. We are just now at the height of the season.

The strawberries are mostly grown on the shares by the Chinamen, who give half the crop for the land. As the vines produce nothing the first year, and the Chinamen are poor, the landowner usually loans his credit for provisions. The renters will make little profit this season, but many of the land-owners will clear $100 per acre. Six Chinamen do the work on ten acres of strawberries, except in the picking season, when extra help is required, and just now three extra men are employed to the acre. Strawberry fields have fallen into the possession of the Chinese within the last two or three years, and the profits to the landlords are greater than under the old system of paying wages. It would be impossible to grow the berries profitably without Celestial help. Irrigation, except in very moist spots, increases the yield of the vines tenfold; without artesian wells few strawberries are grown in Santa Clara.

COLLEGE COMMENCEMENTS.

The Commencements for Yale, Williams and Other Colleges—Interesting Information for the Alumni.

Already the different colleges are making their announcements for the ensuing annual commencements. The Faculty of Yale College have combined the two festivities of Presentation and Commencement week, and the first essay of the new order of things will take place this year. "Wooden Spoon" is abolished, and its place supplied by what is to be called the "Regatta Ball." The following programme gives the order of exercises for Commencement week this year:

Sunday, July 9—Baccalaureate Sermon.

Monday, July 10—Regatta on Lake Saltonstall in the afternoon; Commencement of the Sheffield Scientific School in the evening.

Tuesday, July 11—Presentation day; athletic exhibition in the morning; class-day exercises in the afternoon; regatta ball in the evening.

Wednesday, July 12—Alumni meeting during the day; Concio ad Clerum in the evening.

Thursday, July 13—Commencement day.

There will be no base ball match this and Harvard this year, but a base-ball match will probably take place at our commencement time.

The seventy-seventh Commencement of Williams College occurs next month. Also the Senior examination takes place on Thursday and Friday, June 22 and 23. The following appointments have been announced to the Senior Class. Each grade is arranged in alphabetical order. Bishop receives prizes in appointments: Valedictory Oration—John L. Stoddard, Boston.

Salutatory Oration—Willielmus Mynderse, Seneca Falls, N. Y.

Philosophical Orations—Herbert R. Gibbs, Lee, Mass.; William H. Herrick, Clarendon, Vt.; George W. McLane, of Harrisburgh, Pa.; Moses Bowers W. Patterson, Chicago; Claude L. Smith, Philadelphia.

Orations—Allen F. De Camp, Morristown, N. J.; James R. Dunbar, Pittsfield, Mass.; Frank Foxcroft, Pittsfield, Mass.; Lorin S. Gates, Hartland, Conn.; Charles H. Hooker, Westfield, Mass.; James M. Ide, Troy, Bennington County, Vermont; Willis Masters, Matteawan, N. Y.; Frederic B. Stratton, Athol, Mass.

Dissertations—James T. Ford, Buffalo; Edward H. Huntington, Cincinnati; Isaac Jennings, Jr., Bennington County, Vermont; William M. Kincaid, Utica, N. Y.; Frank R. Morgan, Bennington County, Vermont; Theodore Brook Comly, William E. Ferris, Sharon, Conn.; Harvey M. Wadleigh, Stevens Point, Wis.; Hiram F. White, Palmyra, N. Y.

The following is the programme:

Sunday, June 25—Baccalaureate Discourse to the Graduating Class, by President HOPKINS, at 10 o'clock A. M. Prayer Meeting of the Christian Union at 4½ o'clock, P. M. Address to the Mills' Theological Society, by Rev. EDWARD GRIFFIN BECKWITH, Waterbury, Conn., Class of 1849, at 7½ P. M.

Monday, June 26—Concert by Hall's Band of Boston and the College Glee Club.

Tuesday, June 27—Class-Day—Examination of candidates for admission to college at 9 o'clock A. M. Another examination will be held on Wednesday, August 30, and opportunity will be given for private examinations, as circumstances may require. Public exercises at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Congregational Church. There will be reunions of the classes of '41, '51, '61 and '66.

Evening—Promenade Concert in Goodrich Hall at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, June 28, Alumni day—Morning—Meeting of Society of Alumni in Alumni Hall at 9 o'clock. Rev. DORUS CLARK, D.D., Boston, class of 1810, President; Hon. CHARLES DAVIDSON, of Auburn, N. Y., class of 1825, Vice-President, are respectfully invited to be present. Afternoon—Address before the Society of Alumni, by Rev. DANIEL R. CADY, of Arlington, of the class of 1838, and a poem by SIDNEY W. COOPER, Esq., New-York, of the class of 1860, at 2 o'clock. Subject—Modern Statesmen—A Satire." Evening—Prize Declamation for Sophomores, by a member of the Sophomore and Junior classes.

Thursday, June 29. Morning—Commencement exercises at 10 o'clock. Trustees, graduates and invited guests dine in Goodrich Hall at 2 o'clock, and the ceremonies will conclude in the evening with the President's reception and a promenade concert.

The Brown University Commencement is in Providence, R. I., comes on the 28th of June, the last Wednesday in the month. The young men of the graduating class will doubtless show themselves worthy successors of their older brothers, who have trod the commencement stage before them, and do honor to the college, and especially to the Professor of Rhetoric. The anniversary of the Phi Beta Kappa Society will occur on Tuesday forenoon, the day before commencement; the appointments for the anniversary give promise of a literary occasion of a high order. The oration will be delivered by Hon. ANDREW D. WHITE, LL. D., President of Cornell University, and the poem by Rev. CHARLES T. BROOKS, of Newport. Mr. BROOKS' name and his poetical reputation will be a great attraction, and draw a large company of Rhode Island scholars and lovers of poetry; and the oration will be delivered by the Annual Sermon before the Society of Missionary Inquiry will be preached by Rev. JAMES P. BOYCE, D. D., of Greenville Theological Seminary in South Carolina. The afternoon of Tuesday has been given for three years past to a meeting of the Alumni in Manning Hall, to consider whether such meeting is to come to the interests of the College. By a vote of the Alumni, two years ago, it was determined that this meeting should be held every year, and we hope that this decision will be borne in mind by all the graduates, and be so carried out as to unite them more closely together in advancing the University to greater prosperity and more extended usefulness.

The Thirty-eighth Annual Convention of the Psi Upsilon Fraternity will be held with the Sigma Chapter, Brown University, June 7 and 8, 1871. The appointments for the literary exercises are as follows: President, Hon. SAMUEL G. ARNOLD; Chaplain, Rev. HENRY C. GRAVES; Orator, Rev. CHARLES H. MALCOLM; Poet, HENRY ARMITT BROWN; Toast-master, Capt. RICHARD WATERMAN.

The Rutgers College seniors and scientifics paid their last visits as undergraduates to college on Wednesday morning, and received their grade for the four years' course. The honors were announced: First, (valedictory,) Mr. E. D. DE LAMATER; second, (Latin salutatory,) Mr. W. P. VOORHEES; fourth, (philosophical oration,) Mr. W. H. LAWRENCE. Mr. BARTON of the first scientific took the prize for mineralogy, and stands first in his class. Most of the graduating class left for home today, and are expected to return June 14 to practice for Commencement. The valedictorian is allowed twelve minutes to speak, and the other three honor men ten minutes; the remainder being limited to five.

The Commencement, which begins Tuesday, June 20, the former scene of the Geological Hall will be lead by Gov. RANDOLPH, on which occasion an address will be delivered by CORTLANDT PARKER, LL. D., class of 1826. JOHN G. SAXE will deliver the address before the Peithessophian Society. The Philoclean Society have obtained Rev. Dr. PORTER, of Brooklyn. JONATHAN DYSON, of Jersey City, will address the alumni. The local committee will provide entertainment for any who notify the secretary of their intention to be present.

Arrest in Indiana on the Charge of Murder Committed Seven Years Ago.

From the Lafayette (Ind.) Journal, May 27.

The readers of the *Journal*, as far back as 1864, will no doubt remember the murder of the two KNIGHT brothers, in Cass County, in that year, some six or seven miles from Logansport. The facts, as we now call them to mind, are that the KNIGHTS were home on furlough from the army, and had overstayed their time. Two brothers named LUCAS, on detached duty at Indianapolis, were sent to arrest the two supposed deserters. On repairing to the residence of the brothers KNIGHT, ABRAHAM LUCAS and his brother found but one of them at home, who said the other would be there in a few minutes. A short time elapsed, when the second brother came in, and both were declared under arrest. As they were passing out of the house with the guards, one of the prisoners seized a loaded gun that was hanging over the door, and shot ABRAHAM's brother, ABRAHAM, thinking his brother was killed, shot and killed the prisoner who did the firing. A melée then ensued, in which he took the life of the other prisoner. The LUCASES have, as we learn, been once or twice tried for the offense and acquitted, but at the late session of the Cass County Grand Jury, another bill of indictment was found against them. One of the LUCAS brothers was arrested at Logansport, on Wednesday, and night before last the Deputy-Sheriff and a son of the Sheriff of Cass County came to this city, and, with the assistance of Sheriff SMITH, took the other brother into custody. ABRAHAM LUCAS, the one arrested here, has been a resident of this city for the past five years, and has of late been in the employ of Messrs. SALE & HORN. He has a wife and one child, and is represented as an honest and industrious man. He was lodged in jail, and yesterday morning conveyed to Logansport for trial.

VIADUCT RAILROAD.

Organization of the Company—Subscription Books to be Opened at Once—Appointment of Engineers.

At 2 P. M. yesterday, the directors of the Viaduct Railroad Company met in the Governor's Room, City Hall. Mr. JOHN J. ASTOR and Mr. BLODGETT were absent, and Mr. WILSON G. HUNT sent in his resignation.

On motion Mr. A. T. STEWART was elected Chairman, and Mr. RICHARD B. CONNOLLY temporary Secretary. Mr. STEWART called the meeting to order, and, on motion of Mr. TWEED, Mr. HENRY HILTON was elected President of the Company; Mr. HUGH SMITH, First Vice-President; Mr. W. B. DUNCAN, Treasurer, and ED. P. PARKER, Secretary.

Mr. HILTON, in taking the chair, thanked the Board for the honor conferred upon him, and said that he did not propose to say what the directors meant to do, but he was quite sure that their conduct would meet with approval.

The Mayor then called attention to section 2 of the act of the corporation, and moved that, in accordance therewith, the directors proceed to divide themselves into five classes, to hold office for the terms of one, two, three, four and five years, respectively.

The motion being adopted, lots were drawn, and the result was as follows:

To serve one year: Messrs. Travers, Hall, Sweeny, O'Gorman and Lamont. For two years: Messrs. Beasley, Tiffany, Connolly, Navarro and Wesley. For three years: Messrs. Stewart, Belmont, Orton, Blodgett and Lanier. For four years: Messrs. Tweed, Jones, Morton, Hugh Smith and Hunt. For five years: Messrs. Johnston, Cornell, Henry Smith, Hilton and Duncan.

A resolution was adopted appointing committees on Finance, Accounts, Executive Business and Laws and Commission, each committee to consist of five members and to be appointed by the President.

The Mayor then offered a resolution, which was adopted, that books of subscription be opened at the office of the Company, No. 261 Broadway, as soon as practicable, of which ten days' notice is to be given by advertisement, and that interest in scrip, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, will be paid subscribers from the date of their subscriptions until the completion of the railroad to Eighty-second-street.

Resolutions were then adopted, authorizing the renting of offices for the use of the Company at No. 261 Broadway, and fixing Wednesday in each week as the time for the meeting of the directors.

Mr. HILTON stated that Mr. STEWART and himself had secured offices in the basement of No. 261 Broadway. The rent is to be $12,500 per annum. The size of the offices is 38 by 100.

Mayor HALL moved that JOHN J. SERRELL and LEOPOLD EIDLITZ be appointed engineers of the Company, and that they be directed to prepare at once a plan for the proposed road. The motion was adopted.

The resignation of Mr. WILSON G. HUNT was accepted, and Mr. EASTON MARBLE was elected to fill the vacancy.

The meeting then adjourned to Wednesday, 7th prox.

The Free-Trade League.

The following is a portion of report No. 5 of the Free Trade League, just issued:

"The last report of the League was issued in October, 1870, seven months ago. Since then, the agitation for a reform of the tariff has made marked progress, and the following facts will show. In the first session of the Forty-first Congress, which expired on the 4th of March, the Free-Trade party and a working majority, while the present House of Representatives has passed bills to free salt and coal by votes of 148 to 44 and 130 to 86. Mr. KELLEY admits that he is in a majority; and Messrs. DAWES and BINGHAM, champions of the wool and woolens tariff of 1867, one of the most extreme protective measures ever enacted, have voted with the reformers.

In the Senate of the Forty-first Congress the Protectionists were known to be in a minority by a test vote of 18 yeas to 29 nays, on a motion to table the Coal bill. In the present Senate the same measures are sustained by 40 votes. The bills to free salt and coal would unquestionably have passed could a vote have been obtained upon them. The action of the Republican caucus, combining the votes of the Senate to Kuklux legislation, prevented a vote, while the two Democratic caucuses, from Maryland assisted by means of the Kuklux, in staving it off. The fact that the Senate had to be reconstructed, to show that the majority of these monopolists feated the results of a fair vote.

While such evidences of the growth of the agitation as the above are most encouraging, it must be admitted that the reform movement comes through the Democratic or Free-Trade party, but is of the first importance that some party should be fatefully represented of the principles we contend for. Every party is sagacious enough to force an issue with its opponent upon the tariff question, and the people got the opportunity to vote upon it, unembarrassed by questions growing out of the war, victory will certainly result to that party. Whatever may be its name. It is no longer necessary to convince people of the inutility and injustice of a protective tariff, but an opportunity to act upon convictions already formed is most pressing. To this can only be attained through the organization. Political leaders will compromise differences of opinion in the ranks of their parties, until one side or the other refuses all compromise, and is strong enough in numbers to put its opponents in a small minority. And it should now be the aim of every reformer, wherever he may be, to see that delegates are represented in the national Conventions of both the great parties, which will assemble a year hence. If from every Congressional District where revenue reformers are in a majority men who are at once earnest and representative are sent to these Conventions, the doctrine of free trade will disappear from the platforms, and advocates of monopoly upon the floors of Congress will at least keep silent. Revenue reformers all over the country should understand the necessity for individual exertions to perfect local organizations, and by means of systematic efforts abound influence the character of their respective parties.

Another obstacle in the way of reform is the ignorance of legislators upon the details of the tariff question and the necessary conditions of reform. The vote in the House of Representatives to free coal and iron shows that a majority of the members do not know that these duties yield $15,000,000, every cent of which goes to the Treasury, and which protects nobody, and that to cut off these large revenues from unobjectionable sources will block the way to further reforms of a class of duties like those upon woolens and other fabrics, and upon the raw materials of industry, which take $6 from the people for every dollar that the Government gets, and which have destroyed our export trade and limited home consumption. Or, if those who voted for the abolition of these taxes did so with an entire understanding of the consequences which must follow such action, they have then proclaimed themselves in favor of the overthrow of the whole tariff system, without having offered any other method of raising revenue. The obstacles resulting from the inexperience of legislators will be overcome somewhat by the organization of the House into Committees, charged with the consideration of the details of the proposed measures; but better still by the pressure of intelligent opinion from the districts of the members, which can only be adequately exerted by organized bodies of their constituents."

Yachting.

The upsetting of the *Mary Emma* in the Harlem Club race last Thursday was productive of much disappointment to Commodore BRINCKERHOFF, and he was induced to challenge the *Mary Louise*, the winning boat, to a sail over the same course, the lady friends of each agreeing to supply the winning boat with a handsome silk flag. Yesterday was the day appointed, and accordingly soon after noon the signal for a start was given. The *Mary Emma*, owing to her inferior size, had an allowance of time which amounted to about twelve minutes. This, it was agreed, should be divided between the starts and return home. Accordingly the *Mary Emma* started five minutes ahead of the *Mary Louise*, which, however, gained so much of her against the wind as to be within half a minute of her at the Can Buoy. From there back the *Mary Emma* gained, and came in the winner by six minutes and twenty-seven seconds in addition to her allowance of time. The *Quits*, which lost ballast at the race of Thursday, was out and beat both yachts.

Organization of a Homeopathic Medical College.

The establishment of a Homeopathic Medical College in this City, which has been long talked of, is at last an accomplished fact. The gentlemen interested met a few days since at the office of WILLIAM R. TRAVERS, Esq., and organized under the name of the New-York College of Medical Sciences. The following officers were then elected:

Trustees—William R. Travers, Hooper C. Van Voorst, John E. Garland, Charles Watrous, Henry G. Stebbins, John W. Bigelow, Egbert Guernsey, M. D., Jacob Beakley, M. D., Daniel N. Lawrence, Jacob Russell, C. C. Dike, William De Groot, Curtis Judson.

President, William R. Travers; Vice-President, Hooper C. Van Voorst; Treasurer, Jacob Russell; Secretary, Charles Watrous.

Faculty—Emeritus Professor of Materia Medica, Prof. S. M. Barlow, M. D. Emeritus Professor or Practice of Medicine, F. W. Hunt, M. D. Surgery and Surgical Pathology, Prof. Jacob Beakley, M. D. Operative Surgery, Prof. John C. Miner, M. D. Obstetrics and Diseases of Women, Prof. Egbert Guernsey, M. D. Anatomy, Prof. James A. Carmichael, M. D. Practice of Medicine, Prof. J. A. Ward, M. D. Chemistry and Toxicology, Prof. Charles Avery, LL. D. Pharmacodynamics and Med. Prof. J. S. P. Lord, M. D. Materia Medica and Med. Botany, J. N. Swan, M. D. Physiology, Prof. C. N. Avery, M. D. Histology, James Doughty, M. D. Medical Jurisprudence, Hon. Hooper C. Van Voorst.

DECORATION DAY.

The Preparations for the Ceremonies Today—A General Observance Expected.

Should the day prove as pleasant as was yesterday, the ceremonies of decorating the soldiers' graves at Green-Wood and Cypress Hills Cemeteries will be very imposing, and the display will be very large. The contributions of flowers at the head-quarters of the organization in this City—Union-square—have been very numerous, and some rare plants were sent in yesterday. During the afternoon ninety young ladies from Grammar Schools Nos. 11, 45, 55 and 58 marched to the tent in procession and deposited therein their offerings, consisting of a wagon-load of cut-flowers, arranged in bouquets, and many of them were very handsome. Gen. BARNUM was present, and received the flowers in an appropriate speech, after which the young ladies returned to their homes. Mr. S. W. THORLEY sent to the armory, No. 115 West Thirty-second-street, about 300 plants in pots, many of them quite rare. From every hand the donations have been liberal, and the Committee having the arrangements in charge, are very much gratified as well as thankful. Not only in this City, but all over the country the day will be appropriately celebrated, and in every cemetery soldiers' graves will be decorated. The following order was issued by Gen. MCDOWALL yesterday:

HEAD-QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE EAST,
NEW-YORK CITY, May 29,
1871.

SPECIAL ORDERS NO. 111.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War all the offices connected with the Army in this City will be closed to-morrow, the 30th inst., (Decoration Day.)

By command of Brig. Gen. MCDOWELL.
CHAUNCEY MCKEEVER, Assistant Adjutant-General.

The Custom-house will be closed, except between the hours of 9 and 10 A. M., for the entrance and clearance of vessels. The Sub-Treasury will be closed all day, as also will be the Appraiser's Office. It was intended to close the Post-office, but as the day is not a legal holiday, and as the banks, &c., will be open, it was thought that the business public would be too greatly inconvenienced by a suspension of operations, and consequently the Post-office will be open all day, as usual. Such of the employes as desire will have leave of absence to participate in the ceremonies. The day will be observed as a partial holiday in wholesale business circles down-town. The petroleum and naval-store dealers have decided to hold a business session at the Merchants' Exchange. The metal dealers and brokers have agreed to adjourn at noon. The Cotton and Produce Exchanges have taken no action thus far. The offices of grocery and general merchandise brokers will be open. The present promise is of a very slim show of trade custom, in any wholesale line, during the day.

The procession today will move promptly at 10½ o'clock in the morning, from Union-square, under command of Gen. JAMES MCQUADE, Grand Marshal, assisted by the following aides: Col. John R. Fry, Post No. 1; Col. Kinsley, Assistant Adjutant General and Chief of Staff; Comrade, Post Koltes, No. 32; Comrade William H. Oliver, Post Weed, No. 91; Comrade H. Powell, Post Dahlgren, No. 113; Comrade Ira A. Whitman, Post Sedgwick, No. 11; Comrade Jas. McDonald, Post James Miller, No. 76; Comrade Felix Vanderburg, Post Winthrop, No. 22; Comrade Samuel Minnes, Post Sumner, No. 24; Comrade H. H. Schuremann, Post Isaac I. Stevens, No. 86; Comrade John S. Dingwall, Post Cameron, No. 9; Comrade Jacobs, Post No. 98; Comrade James Demarest, Post Phil Kearney, No. 8.

The Governor's Island Band and the band of the First Regiment N. G. S. N. Y. will discourse the music, and three companies of the First Regiment N. G. S. N. Y., (Hawkins' Zouaves,) embracing all the veterans of the command, and the Griffin Guards, (colored,) will form the escort. The Posts of the Grand Army in the procession will be as follows: Post Koltes, G. A. R., No. 32; Post Weed, 91; Post No. 1; Post Dahlgren, G. A. R., No. 113; Post Sedgwick, G. A. R., No. 11; Post James Miller, G. A. R., No. 76; Post Winthrop, G. A. R., No. 22; Post Sumner, G. A. R., No. 24; Post Isaac I. Stevens, G. A. R., No. 86; Post Cameron, G. A. R., No. 9; Post J. A. Rawlins, G. A. R., No. 83; Post Phil Kearney, G. A. R., No. 8.

Four large and two small stages will be filled with the orphans of the Union Home and School, and several wagons from the American and Merchants' Union Express Company will be laden with the crippled veterans of the war. The flowers will be placed on a large truck, drawn by twelve horses.

The procession will proceed down Broadway to South Ferry, stopping at Trinity Church to decorate the grave of Gen. PHIL. KEARNEY. After crossing the ferry the procession will be enlarged by the addition of Brooklyn Posts of the Grand Army of the Republic, and will pass the Atlantic-avenue horse-cars to East New-York, whence it will march to the Cypress Hills Cemetery. The soldiers' graves here will be decorated with national flags and flowers.

At the graves, Gen. JOHN JOURDAN will preside, and make a brief address. The prayer will be made by Rev. WILLIAM R. THOMAS, and the oration will be delivered by Rev. GEORGE F. PENTICOST.

At Green-Wood the ceremonies will be similar to those at the Cypress Hills Cemetery, and Thatford Post, No. 2, of South Brooklyn, have prepared for a fitting observance of the day. The ceremonies will take place at the Soldiers' Plot, at 2 P. M.

In the evening there will be exercises in the Academy of Music, the proceeds, after paying expenses, to go to the Union Home and School for Soldiers' Orphans. The Governors' Island Band will be present. Rev. H. S. STEBBINS will open the exercises with prayer. Mr. W. H. POPE will give a recitation, entitled "The Raising of the Flag. Hon. WM. M. EVARTS will deliver an address, as will likewise Rev. Dr. TYNG and Rev. Dr. J. P. THOMPSON.

The Piracy and Attempted Murder on the Manitoba.

James McDonald, Thomas Shea, John Fitzpatrick, Thomas Walsh, Robert Walsh, Thomas Carr, Thomas White and William Minterville, seamen on board the English brig *Manitoba*, charged with mutiny and attempting to murder HIRAM MCKENNAN, first mate of the vessel, on a voyage from Cardiff, Wales, to this port, were brought up for examination, yesterday, before United States Commissioner SHIELDS. The proceedings were adjourned until Wednesday, without any testimony having been taken, and in the meantime the additional charge of piracy was preferred against the prisoner.

The Egbert Suicide.

An inquest was held yesterday by Coroner YOUNG in the case of JOSEPH S. EGBERT, of No. 661 Ninth-avenue, who committed suicide Sunday afternoon. The testimony showed that the deceased had been depressed in mind in consequence of disappointments in business. When a friend called on him Sunday afternoon he excused himself, saying he would go to his room and dress, and in a few minutes two pistol-shots fired in quick succ

...under the exceptions of defendant, which case is to be brought before the Court at General Term for review.

Copies of Brainerd, for plaintiff; A. H. Dana, for defendant.

KINGS COUNTY SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Before Judge Gilbert.

ACTION TO RECOVER $28,000.

Crowbridge & Shaller vs. *Alden & Cummings.*—All the parties to this action are leather merchants in the City of New-York, and the suit is brought to recover $28,000, alleged to be due upon a running account extending from 1866 to 1870, including transactions amounting to nearly $600,000. These transactions were carried on by the junior partners of the respective firms without the consent of the senior members, and no records of them were made upon the books. The present claim is founded upon certain memoranda and check-books found in the office of the plaintiffs. After the discovery of these evidences of what is now looked upon as a defalcation Crowbridge commenced suit, and Cummings absconded. The case was sent to a referee. Raymond & Rose for plaintiffs, Brown & Estes for defendants.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Kelsey vs. *Clarke and Carroll.*—This is an action for the dissolution of partnership. The plaintiff and defendants are engaged in business as manufacturers of copper goods in New-York, and formed the partnership for nine years, with a capital of $100,000. The plaintiff brought the action for dissolution on the ground that objects for which partnership was formed could not be attained, as all the capital was sunk in machinery, and it required a large sum more to carry on the business.

The plaintiff was appointed Receiver, and he now applies to the Court for instructions as to the sale of factory lease and machinery of the partnership. The sale is opposed by Mrs. Carroll, one of the defendants, on the ground that there is no motion pendant to change venue to New-York, and also that there is no necessity for selling at this time. Further hearing adjourned to Thursday, June 1, by Judge GILBERT.

For plaintiff, Robert Jewell; for defendant, Dennis McMahon.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—MAY 29.

FIRST BOARD.

$6,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '67	50	Bk. of Commerce..121
	c...c.114	20	Bank of Commonwealth.....
20,000	do.....c.114		...bot. cash.....127
500	U. S. 5-20 C., '65.114	10	Ninth Nat. Bank..135
20,000	Tenn. 6s, old.....72½	100	Maryland Nat.....84½
20,000	do.....72¾	100	do.....84¾
20,000	do.....b5. cash. 72¾	100	do.....b30. 84½
20,000	do.....72¾	200	American Coal.....61½
20,000	Tenn. 6s, new..72¾		do.....61¾
20,000	do.....72¾	100	West. U. Tel.....30¾
31,000	Va. 6s, old.....67½		do.....30¾
4,000	Va. 6s, R., old..67½	400	do...bot. cash. 30¾
5,000	Va. 6s, do.....67¾	225	Farmg. M. Coal.....55
2,000	Ga. 6s, '75, G. R. 93½	100	Quicksilver Pref..29¾
5,000	N. C. 6s, old bds. 27¾		do.....29¾
20,000	do.....67¾	100	do.....29¾
2,000	S. C. 6s, new.....64½		do...bot. cash. 29¾
	Jan. & July.....64	400	Con. Coal of Md.....
10,000	do.....64½		...bot. cash. 29¾
5,000	Mo. 6s, H. & St. 93¾	300	Mariposa Pref.....9
1,000	Mo. 6s, H. & St.	100	Pacific Mail.....47¾
	Jan. 1st.....94¾	10	do.....47¾
5,000	Mo. 6s, do.....94¾		do...bot. cash. 47
2,000	Mo. 6s, do.....94¾	10	Adams Ex.....91½
2,000	Mo. 6s, do.....94¾	2	Am. M. U. Ex.....87
5,000	Erie 1st.....103¾	100	Mechanics'.....93
10,000	U. P. 7s, L. G. R. 82	100	N. Y. Com. & H.....89¾
2,000	Cent. P. Gold R.	100	Erie.....39¾
	bot. cash.....102¾	400	Harlem.....99¼
1,000	C. & N. W. Con..94	100	L. S. & Mich. So...114
5,000	do.....b 5 94¾		do...bot. cash.114
1,000	C. & N. W. 1st. 94¾	100	Jack. & Sag.....72
5,000	do.....94¾	200	Ill. Cent. bot. cash.137
5,000	Mo. & Ia. 2d.....82	100	Clev. & P. bot. cash.123¾
2,000	C. & N. W. 2d. Jos. 8s,	200	do.....122¾
	bot. cash.....94½	200	do...bot. cash.122¾
$2,000	C. & N. W. 2d. Conv. 8s,	200	do.....122¾
	bot. cash.....104½	200	C. & N. W. Com.....94½
3,000	N. Con. 2d. 7s.....93	100	do.....94¾
20,000	Cedar Falls &	200	do.....94¾
	Minn. 1st.....94½	200	do.....94¾
10,000	C. C. & I. C. 1st. 87½	200	Del. L. & W.....136
20,000	N. Y. Cent. 6s R.	100	Chic. & Alton.....119¾
	Cts., bot. cash. 98¾		do.....118
20,000	do.....98¾	20	Ohio & Miss. Pref. 90¾
	b Tenth Nat. Bank	200	Col. C. & I. Con...23¾

SECOND BOARD.

$20,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '65..112¾	$5,000	N. Y. C. & H. Cts.
4,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '65..112¾		...bot. cash.....89¾
1,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '67..112¾		...30 N. Y. C. & Hud. R.
20,000	Tenn. 6s, 6s, o.....72¾		...bot. cash.....89¾
5,000	do.....72¾	200	do.....89¾
10,000	Tenn. 6s, 6s, n.....72¾	100	Erie.....39¾
20,000	do.....72	200	do.....39¾
5,000	Va. 6s, 6s, old.....67¾	200	do.....39¾
10,000	Va. 6s, 6s, old.....67¾	1,000	Hempstead.....81
5,000	N. Car. 6s, 6s, n. 27¾		...bot. cash.....81
2,000	S. Car. 6s, 6s, n.	100	Quin. & Tol. 1st. '70.. 87
	Jan. and July. 64½		...bot. cash.....87
10,000	do.....64½	100	Mich. 1st ext.....101½
5,000	Mo. 6s, H. & St.		...bot. cash.....101½
	Jan. 1st.....94¾	100	Gal. & Chi. 1st.....101½
5,000	do.....94¾		...bot. cash.....101½
2,000	Mo. 6s, do.....94¾	100	Chi. & Alton.....119¾
2,000	Canton.....bot. cash. 63½		...bot. cash.....119¾
10,000	Cons. Coal of Md.....85	100	Chic. & R. I.....122¾
	...bot. cash. 85		...bot. cash.....122¾
200	do.....85	107	Chic. & R. I.....122¾
200	do.....85	100	Mil. & St. Paul.....81¾
200	do.....85		...bot. cash.....81¾
200	West. Union Tel.....31¾	200	do.....81¾
10	Mariposa Mining.....8¼	100	Del., Lack. & W.....126¾
	do.....8		...bot. cash.....126¾
100	do.....8¼	100	Boston, H. & Erie.....8¾
100	Quicksilver Min.....33¾		...bot. cash.....8¾
100	Quicksilver Pref.....73	100	Akron & T. R.....29
100	Pacific Mail S. S.....47¾	200	Ohio & Miss.....29¾
100	U. S. Ex. bot. cash. 30		...bot. cash.....29¾
100	Adams Ex.....b. 6. 91¾	100	St. L. & Pitts. Pref. 47½
20	Mich. Cent.....125	100	St. Joseph.....100¾
200	Panama...bot. cash.		

MONDAY, May 29—P. M.

It was unofficially reported from Washington, this afternoon, that the offer of Mr. JAY COOKE, for himself and others, for $130,000,000 of the New Loan, by installments, could not be accepted by the Government, consistently with the views of the Secretary of the Treasury in regard to the conditions of the offer.

The Gold market was inclined to firmness early in the day, and sold up to 111¾ ₱ cent., but the price was not long maintained, and the sales returned to 111¾@111¾ ₱ cent., as on Saturday. The export demand is moderate, although the rates of Exchange are quoted firm on London at 110¾@110¾ ₱ cent. No quotations came over the Cable from London, owing to the observance of the day as a Holiday. The French telegrams reported a continued bloody condition of affairs in Paris in the punishment of the repulsed and captured insurgents, but the insurrection is believed to be substantially at an end.

In our own market Money keeps very easy at 3@4 ₱ cent. to the leading Brokers, while speculation on the Stock Exchange is quite feverish, and on Western Telegraph and some of the Railways decidedly weak as compared with Saturday. The prominent exceptions were Rock Island, Lake Shore and Reading, and among the Miscellaneous Stocks, the Consolidated Coal of Maryland, which sold up to 42 ₱ cent., and Maryland Coal at 35½ ₱ cent. The most vulnerable points in the afternoon seemed to be Western Telegraph and Ohio and Mississippi, with an indifferent feeling in the North Wests, St. Pauls and New-York Centrals.

The Public Funds were generally firm, and light offering, at the close of the day, and most of the Southern State Bonds were steady, the most conspicuous business being in Tennessees. In the Pacific Bonds there was an improved demand for Union first mortgages, the price advancing to 93@93½ ₱ cent. The Centrals were not quite so firm as on Saturday.

In the afternoon, after repeated ups and downs in the Railways, the following quotations were made, as compared with Saturday night. The extremes of the day in Rock Island were 121¼@120, and in Lake Shores 115@113¾ ₱ cent. The speculation at the close was feverish and by no means general over the Railway list.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS—MAY 29.

	Saturday.	Monday.
United States 10-40s	110	110
United States 5-20s of 1862	111¾	111¾
United States 5-20s of 1867	114	114
American Gold	111¾	111¾
Bills on London, 60 days	110¼	110¼
N. Y. C. and Hudson	99¾	99¾
N. Y. C. and Hud. Debt Ctfs.	94¼	93¾
Reading Railroad	118¾	118¾
Chicago and Rock Island	120¾	121¼
North-west Common	86¼	85¾
North-west Preferred	98¾	98¾
Pacific Mail	47¾	46¾
St. Paul Preferred	81¼	81¾
St. Paul Common	62¾	62¾
Lake Shore	114¾	114¾
Ohio and Mississippi	30¼	28¾
Toledo and Wabash	64¾	65¾
Western Telegraph	59¾	57½
Erie	39¼	39
Union Pacific	34½	34½
Central Pacific Bonds	109½	108
Union Pacific Bonds	93¼	93¼
Union Land Grants	85¼	85¼
Union Incomes	85	85½

UNITED STATES TREASURY, NEW-YORK, May 29.

Gold receipts	$267,913 56
Gold payments	156,976 69
Gold balance	26,026,086 67
Currency receipts	126,916 58
Currency payments	709,886 41
Currency balance	5,918,840 92
Customs	494,000 00

The following bids were made for the various Public Funds of the United States:

6 ₱ cent. reg., '81	117¾	5-20 coup., '67	112¾
6 ₱ cent. coup., '81	117¾	5-20 coup., '68	114
5-20 coup., '62	111¾	10-40 reg.	108¾
5-20 coup., '64	111¾	10-40 coup.	108¾
5-20 coup., '65	111¾	6s Currency	115¾
5-20 coup., n. i., '65	112¾		

And the following for the State Bonds:

Tenn. 6s, old	72¾	Ohio 6s, '81	104¾
Tenn. 6s, new bonds	72¾	Ohio 6s, '86	106¾
Va. 6s, old	67¾	Ky. 6s	101
Va. 6s, new bonds	67¾	Ill. Canal 6s, '70	110¾
Va. 6s, reg. old	67¾	Ill. coup. 6s, '77	101
Va. 6s, reg. '87	67	Ill. coup. 6s, '79	101
N. Car. 6s, old	27¾	Ill. War Loan	101
N. Car. 6s, F. A. '68	25	Ind. 5s	100
N. Car. 6s, new bonds	24¾	Mich. 6s, '72	109
N. Car. 6s, '74	27¾	Mich. 6s, '83	109
S. Car. 6s, old	64½	Mich. 6s, '79	109
S. Car. 6s, Jan. & July	64¾	N. Y. reg. Bounty L.	110
Mo. 6s	94¾	N. Y. coup. Bounty L.	110
Mo. 6s, H. & St. J. 6s	94¾	N. Y. Canal L.	102
La. 6s, old	73	N. Y. Canal L.	103
La. 6s, new bonds	73	N. Y. Canal L.	104
La. 6s, new S. Debt	69	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	103
Ala. 8s	93	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	104
Ala. 5s	72	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	104
Ala. 5s, Railroad bds	90	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	104
		N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	104
		N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	104

The New York Times.

NEW-YORK, TUESDAY, MAY 30, 1871.

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WALLACK'S THEATER.
Broadway, corner 13th-st.
ROSEDALE.—Leading characters by Messrs. Lester Wallack, Gilbert, Stoddart, Mrs. Clara Jennings, and Miss Ella Germon.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.
23d-st. and 6th-av.
A WINTER'S TALE. Leading characters by Messrs. Lawrence Barrett, Mark Smith, Sheridan, and Mrs. Mackinder and Miss Fortesque.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
Broadway, near Prince-st.
KIT, OR, THE ARKANSAS TRAVELER. Leading characters by Mr. F. S. Chanfrau and Miss Rose Evans.

OLYMPIC THEATER.
Broadway, near Bleecker-st.
JACK SHEPPARD. Leading characters by Messrs. G. L. Fox, Meservey, Pearson, and Miss Ada Harland.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.
Mth-st., near Broadway.
THE GOLDEN FLEECE. Leading characters by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mead Walcot.

LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE.
Broadway, near Washington-place.
NANE. Leading characters by Mr. Geo. Clarke and Miss Lina Edwin and Miss Emma Germain.

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DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE. Afternoon and evening. Large collection of curiosities on exhibition.

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We cannot under any circumstances return rejected communications, nor can we undertake to preserve manuscripts.

☞ Advertisements for the WEEKLY TIMES must be handed in before 4 o'clock this evening.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

A few scattered bands of insurgent fugitives descended to the Rue de Vincennes yesterday and surrendered themselves. They are the last organized bands of the insurrection. Military law has been established in the city. Executions are prosecuting at the Champs de Mars, the Park de Monceaux and the Hotel de Ville. From fifty to a hundred of the insurgents are shot at a time. Nearly every member of the Commune was shot or executed immediately after capture. No one is permitted to leave Paris without a pass signed by Marshal MACMAHON. The troops, fearing incendiary fires, have sealed all the cellar gratings and other openings to be hermetically sealed. Three thousand prisoners arrived in Paris on Sunday. The disarming of the National Guards is proceeding. The population of Paris are enthusiastic over their deliverance. The Western and Orleans Railway lines were opened yesterday to goods traffic. Provisions are scarce and the markets quite empty. Gen. CHANGARNIER, yesterday, in the Assembly, defended the surrender of Metz by Marshal BAZAINE. An investigation into all the capitulations to the Germans is to be made. A motion to erect a monument to the murdered hostages was offered. The Swiss Federal Council has decided that fugitives from France, proved to be guilty of ordinary crimes, after an investigation in each case, shall be surrendered to the French authorities. A Brussels paper circulated a report yesterday that the Germans had seized letters from leading members of the Commune, disclosing a conspiracy to incite insurrection in Belgium by the fugitive Communists. The treaty of naturalization between Austria and the United States has been ratified by the Reichrath.

GENERAL.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has decided that the assessment of five per cent. on the eighty per cent. certificates of the New-York Central Railroad Company was properly made, and has instructed the Collector of the Fourteenth New-York District to proceed at once to collect the tax, amounting to $1,161,600.

The German citizens of Albany celebrated the peace and victories of their Fatherland, yesterday, by a grand procession and interesting exercises in the Park. The city was gaily decorated in honor of the day, and the weather proved clear and bright. Great enthusiasm was displayed by the Germans, and the procession was a great success. Gov. HOFFMAN reviewed the column at the City Hall, and addressed the Germans in the Park.

The sentence of death on Mrs. FAIR, the San Francisco murderess, has been postponed until Thursday, to give the defense time to file affidavits against one of the jurors, to obtain a new trial.

A telegram from Cabool, Afghanistan, dated May 23, says Herat has been captured by MAHOMED YAKOOB KHAN, and FUTTEH MAHOMED KHAN killed.

Gov. HOFFMAN, yesterday, sent to the Secretary of State, at Albany, 160 vetoed bills, among which are the Code Amendment bill and the bill abolishing the office of Canal Superintendent.

Surrender of Cubans, and captures of others, are reported by the Spanish authorities. VALMASEDA has declined the services of 2,000 Havana volunteers, he believes his present forces equal to the work to be accomplished.

Peace celebrations were held yesterday by the citizens of Troy, Buffalo and Chicago, all being gigantic in their proportions and highly successful in their results. In each city the day was observed as a general holiday.

Capt. MATHEWSON and Dr. MCKEAN, of the Inman steamer *City of Durham*, were drowned, on Sunday morning, in the harbor of Halifax, N. S., while on a sail-boat, on a fishing excursion.

A San Francisco Police Magistrate has decided to deny the rights of Chinamen to suffrage elections, and discharged a white man accused of robbery solely on that ground.

The down noon express train on the New-Haven Railroad, yesterday, at Port Chester struck a wagon containing Mr. JOHN MILLER, who had a leg and arm broken. A young man named HOWKIN was slightly injured and the horse driven by Mr. MILLER was killed.

The German peace jubilee at Albany, yesterday, was the most imposing demonstration ever witnessed in that city. The procession was nearly three hours in passing a given point. Addresses in German and English, and music, concluded the exercises.

The contract for carrying the mails between Halifax, Cork and Liverpool, has been awarded by the Canadian and Imperial Governments to HUGH ALLAN.

An Ottawa correspondent says no explanations will be given why Sir JOHN YOUNG signed the Treaty of Washington until after the treaty has been signed in England.

A fire in Gloucester, Mass., Sunday, destroyed two blocks of houses. Loss $30,000; mostly insured.

JOHN BROWN's family, now in California, desire it to be known that they are not destitute or in need of pecuniary assistance.

The Boston Red Stockings defeated the Forest City Club of Rockford, Ill., yesterday, in Boston, by a score of 35 to 11.

We are indebted to Capt. SORWENSEN, of the Hamburg steam-ship *Westphalia*, for valued additions to our continental files.

Jeff. Davis and the "Lost Cause."

Many persons may feel surprised that the "long-headed" members of the Democratic Party do not contrive to silence Mr. JEFFERSON DAVIS. But the fact is that Mr. DAVIS is too much for them. He represents, as LOUIS NAPOLEON used to say of himself, a "cause and a defeat," and the Southern people like him on that account, and prefer to hear him croak about their "cause" rather than listen to the unpalatable advice of Mr. JOHN QUINCY ADAMS. It is only another illustration of the insuperable difficulty which the Democrats have to face—the difficulty, that is, of framing a policy which would be at once acceptable to the North and popular in the South. Mr. JOHN QUINCY ADAMS understands the temper of the North, and JEFFERSON DAVIS understands equally well the temper of the South. If only a "compromise" could be devised which would find favor in both sections of the country! But there is the rub. If the Democrats please the South, they offend the North, and any movement they make renders their prospects rather worse than they were before. Hence, as we have pointed out, they try to fill up the time by abusing Gen. GRANT—the man who chose to be faithful to his country, and who does not go about the country dropping hints about the probable revival of the "Lost Cause." The President, whom JEFFERSON DAVIS does not love, is not popular with any portion of the Democratic Party. We sincerely hope that he never will be.

In the meanwhile, the people have no excuse for misunderstanding the sentiments of the Southern wing of the Democratic Party. The other day at Augusta, Ga., "Hon. W. HILLIARD" read an address to Mr. DAVIS in the course of which he said: "I do not now propose to review the dread drama that closed in the overthrow of the Southern cause. That is not a lost cause. It is the cause of constitutional liberty, and will yet triumph." In reply, Mr. DAVIS pointed out the necessity for being very cautious in the expression of their opinions, but he went quite far enough. He talked about "upholding the right of a State to withdraw from a voluntary compact." The Lost Cause was "dear to him—more precious even than life;" and, he added, "I glory in its remembrance." All this is very easily understood. The correspondent of a contemporary, who saw Mr. DAVIS "received" at Columbia, S. C., recently, says that the "Bonnie Blue Flag" was played when he appeared, and he adds:

"All through the South the women cherish a love of the 'lost cause' with a permanency that seems like a species of insanity, and the earliest instruction they give their children is to reverence the dead Confederacy, its flag, and its heroes, and to hate the Yankees and the very name of the United States. Even now, when six years have elapsed since the end of the war, these fanatics will not allow their children to play with the children of Northern people, and a Southern woman who ventures to associate with the hated Yankees is denounced and ostracised by her friends as a renegade."

Now here are facts which cannot be twisted one way or the other by "Radical" newspapers. They speak for themselves. They show what thousands of Democrats mean when they speak of "restoring constitutional liberty." After all, the Radical newspapers are not doing so much to expose the Democratic tactics as Mr. JEFFERSON DAVIS. Thanks to him, the people will know what they are about if they vote for a Democratic President at the next election. They will be voting for another war, and had better make up their minds at the same time to pay the price of it.

As for JEFFERSON DAVIS, in any other country but this he would have been hanged long ago, and if traitors and rebels ever deserve to be hanged, DAVIS would not have suffered unjustly. No great revolution was ever seen before in which the leaders were allowed to escape, and permitted to go about the country afterward mouthing sedition. There is such a thing as being too magnanimous—but supposing that it was all right to let DAVIS go, surely the country has some claim upon him in return for its generosity. Gen. LEE set him a good example. From the surrender at Appomattox to the day of his death, Gen. LEE was never known to utter a word calculated to revive the wild delusion which brought such unparalleled disasters upon the South, or to injure the Government which had extended to him its forgiveness. But DAVIS is not a man capable of appreciating such an example as this. He must still go about, not satisfied with the awful mischief he has already wrought, scattering firebrands and arrows of death in his path. He has the insolence to complain of the "wrongs" he has endured from the Government. Has he ever asked himself what other Government but this would have spared his miserable life? And when all is said and done, what thanks do the Southern people owe to this man? Their affection for JACKSON and LEE is at least comprehensible. But DAVIS never did them anything but harm. In the last days of the war, it was his fault that stores never reached LEE's army. From first to last he was an obdurate, self-conceited, incompetent leader. And now, forsooth, he is to be set up on a pedestal, and crowned with flowers, and worshiped as a hero.

Why? Merely because he represents the treasonable plans of '61. Intelligent men in the South know that he is a blockhead. But they still believe in the principle of which DAVIS is a sort of embodiment. They like to hear him mumble promises of a revival of secession. The Southern Democrats would be only too charmed to have him as *their* candidate for the Presidency next year. And, in truth, if the people mean to elect a Democrat at all, they may as well take JEFFERSON DAVIS while they are about it—after getting him freed from political disabilities, in accordance with the advice given by several Republican journals. It is not enough that a man who is responsible for the sacrifice of tens of thousands of lives should still be free to spit out venom at the Government—he must be immediately rendered eligible to a seat in the Senate. After that, let us go a step further and put him in Gen. GRANT's place. If we are determined to have another rebellion on our hands, we may as well go the shortest way to work about it. That, at least, seems to be the opinion of some Republicans as well as Democrats.

The Lesson of Paris.

It cannot be wondered at that the clergy enlarged so generally last Sunday upon the catastrophe of Paris. For centuries to come, these terrible events which are passing under our eyes will be a prolific theme for moralists and historians. Like the fall of the Roman Empire, or the first French Revolution, they will afford a subject of the most earnest contemplation and study for the thinkers of future ages and of different countries. There is something unusually dramatic and impressive in the catastrophe. The unseen moral forces which underlie all human history, and work out their profound results, here for a short period show themselves, and write out a history of retribution, as plain as if it were written on the midnight sky in miracle letters of fire. All men, even the most worldly, see here "the hand of Providence."

The preachers on Sunday recited, most appropriately, the ancient prophecies. The destruction of Nineveh or Babylon, or the fall of Rome, were not more clearly the evidence of the moral powers which govern human life, than are the broken columns, ruined palaces, blackened homes and blood-stained pavements this day of the brilliant capital of modern civilization. Paris was the centre of the material and atheistic spirit of the modern world. Here sensuality in its most exquisite forms, and vice undisguised, and utter and entire unbelief in "things unseen and eternal," and Cæsarism as the ultimate result in government, had intrenched themselves, and in their luxurious and brilliant prosperity, seemed to bid defiance to the moral ideas of the world. At length, however, the fixed time of tribulation came. It came with an appalling horror and a tempest of punishments, which must strike the human mind with awe for ages to come. The forces which Paris had defied or neglected, exploded beneath her, and the beautiful city became as a warning and byword to all coming generations.

But if, regarded from a distance, these tremendous events seem in the nature of providential retribution, we ought to ask ourselves whether similar laws are being defied elsewhere, and similar punishments are awaiting other peoples and cities. For twenty years, the intelligent and well-to-do classes of the French capital have resigned the control of their own affairs to a military leader, nominally elected by universal suffrage. A generation has grown up utterly unaccustomed to govern themselves. They have enjoyed some of the fruits of good administration: a good Police, order, cleanliness and the opportunity for pleasure and business, and with these they have been satisfied. Their military chief took care of them better than they could take care of themselves. They enjoyed all the luxuries of Imperialism, with none of the turbulence of Democracy. So comfortable and orderly was the city that even many Americans were found to defend "Cæsarism" as the best form of government for the European masses. When, at length, Imperialism collapsed under the first thrust of the Prussian bayonet, the people fell back on themselves to govern; and nowhere was there either ability or courage. Twenty years of handing their affairs over to another had sapped the vigor of the upper and middle classes. Then, by the sudden accident of the peace, and the withdrawal of the enemy, another power appeared on the scene—that terrible under class which exists in every European capital, which distinctly knows what it wants, and is ready to strike for it without fear, when the opportunity offers. This rabble, this crowd of fanatical, revolutionary, socialistic laborers, having arms in their hands, and adventurers from all countries to lead them, seized control of the city, and held down the vast multitude of the well-to-do and orderly as easily as NAPOLEON had trampled on them. The middle class were as timid and unorganized under the *canaille* as they had been under the Emperor. Probably each comfortable citizen said, during this rule of the mob, just as he says in New-York under the rule of the Irish Catholic masses, "This will go on until there is an explosion, and we can bear it no longer!" But when the explosion came it destroyed what centuries cannot build up again.

If New-York continue for another generation, as Paris has done, to intrust her affairs to single adventurers who rule by ignorant suffrage of the intelligent and well-to-do abandon politics, and leave government to the rabble and their leaders—we shall have here a catastrophe which, if not so dramatic as that of Paris, may yet destroy the accumulated wealth of years, and overwhelm innocent and guilty in a common ruin.

Peter the Paragon.

Our Tammany officials, like the prophets, are not without honor save in their own country. In proportion as their worthlessness becomes apparent to the community in which they live, their greatness and their virtues are made to shine forth in the eyes of the outside world. Detested and despised at home, they have been compelled to take their chances, as they take the City bonds, to a foreign market. We have before had occasion to note the remarkable coincidence in matter and style of certain newspaper articles which we lately find scattered through our Western and Southern exchanges, usually under the heading of "New-York Correspondence." These letter-writers have very little to say about general news matters, but a great deal to say about Tammany Hall and the three or four men who control that machine, and "run" our City Government. Indeed, they confine their labors almost exclusively to flattering biographical sketches and elaborate puffs of Wm. M. TWEED, PETER B. SWEENY, RICHARD B. CONNOLLY, and A. OAKEY HALL. Whether Mayor HALL, who is the literary scribe of the gang, writes all the correspondence himself, or whether some of his pet Bohemian friends, whom he has saved from jail, are employed by him to do the work, we have no means of knowing. Judging from the similarity of the letters, and their "ancillary" peculiarities, we should judge that the Mayor himself did not actually write, the larger part of them. That they are inspired by the Ring, and their publication paid for, we are compelled, in charity to the papers which print them, to believe; but that the Ring organs of this City should be forced to puff them in their columns, as a part of the Corporation advertising, seems a little hard even upon a venal Press.

This, however, seems to have been the condition imposed upon the "nine daily and nine weekly papers" selected by CONNOLLY and HALL, and we are glad to see that in this case, if in no other, the ordinances of the City are enforced. Some of the Ring organs, we notice, fulfill this part of the contract in a grudging manner; that is to say, they give these fulsome puffs of their masters an obscure place in their columns, as if they felt ashamed of their work. Not so the *Herald*. This paper enters upon the task *con amore*; it not only gives the correspondence a conspicuous place in its columns, but it embellishes it with large and captivating head lines.

Thus, we find in the Sunday's issue, one of these articles translated from the New-Orleans *Picayune*, and headed "The Great Democratic Wheeler." "Southern Opinion of PETER B. SWEENY." In this letter, which bears intrinsic evidence of having been inspired by Mayor HALL himself, as chief of the Tammanians, we find the greatness and virtues of PETER B. SWEENY set forth in a way which amply justifies the complimentary remark once made by PETER, a friend, that "OAKEY HALL is a very great man to us." The writer starts out by telling the people of New-Orleans that PETER was "born of Celtic parents, who emigrated from the Emerald Isle," and that "he first saw the light of day in the year 1827." The precise date of his arrival here is not given—future historians must clear that up. It is sufficient, however, that he was born in the year 1827, and has since been contrived to do a good deal of "swindling"—vide the *World* of last Spring. We are told that he went to school to JAMES T. BRADY's father, studied law with JAMES T. BRADY, held the office of Public Administrator, from which he was removed, and afterward the office of District-Attorney, from which he removed himself, subsequently went to Europe, and, on his return, "had succeeded to him the leadership of the Democratic Party in the City of New-York."

"His well-organized, diplomatic and reflective mind enabled Tammany to make the necessary combinations for the election of JOHN T. HOFFMAN as Governor of the State, and A. O. HALL as Mayor of the City of New-York. Abler men for the positions it would be difficult to find in any country, and the Democratic Party may well be proud of them."

The writer then quotes ten lines from VICTOR HUGO, wherein the greatness of PETER is set forth in French, for the benefit of the New-Orleans quadroons and the fellow-countrymen of SWEENY in this City. "It is universally conceded," continues the Mayor or his hack, "that he (PETER) impresses his compeers, by the force of his intellect and correct judgment, in such a manner as to exercise more influence than any man in the country." And, finally, we have the virtues of this paragon of a PETER summed up in one sentence as follows:

"Modest and retiring, with sound judgment, integrity of purpose, activity of mind, fascination of manners, with frankness and genial warmth of expression, tenderness of thought and elevated feeling, natural, unaffected and dignified."

For all which, if the public could only get access to Controller CONNOLLY's books, they would probably find that they had to pay $10 a line under the item of "corporation advertising." While papers like the Buffalo *Courier* continue to print eulogies of the Ring, mixed up with idiotic slanders of their opponents, we need not wonder that Southern journals open their columns to the rubbish above quoted.

Vote of the Gagging Bill.

We are glad to state, for the honor of Gov. HOFFMAN, that he has refused to sign the infamous Gagging bill. We shall say nothing to diminish the credit which the Governor deserves for this course. The public will remember it in his favor, and we only wish that Gov. HOFFMAN had always shown similar independence—for nothing is gained when so clear-headed and able a man goes over to the side of wrong-doers. Much, however, may be forgiven to Gov. HOFFMAN for resisting the great pressure which undoubtedly was brought to bear upon him in favor of this bill. TWEED's gang were very anxious to have it signed, and the Governor has now in one conspicuous instance protected the public against them. For this he deserves cordial approval.

The *World*, with the clumsiness which characterizes it, waited until the eve of the Governor issuing his veto before expressing its opinion that he might as well sign the bill. It committed itself to the measure only after all its iniquities had been exposed, and just before the Governor sent in his veto. This is skillful management of a "first-class Democratic journal." The public will know whom they have to thank for defeating this monstrous bill. They certainly are not much indebted to any member of the Legislature, Republican or Democrat. The Republicans at Albany have shown themselves to be very poor sentinels over the public interests. The bill, however, is safely out of the way, thanks to the Republican Press—and, we will add, thanks to Gov. HOFFMAN's sense of his responsibilities—and now, if Judge BARNARD wants to "get even" on any of his critics, he must resort to his old dodge, and concoct or borrow lies about them, and utter them from the bench.

The Pleasures of the Metropolis.

The season which now draws toward its close will be in many respects memorable. So strong has been the public relish for dramatic amusements that all the leading theatres have been constantly filled for months past, and but for the heat, of which a warning has been already felt, those houses could, probably, like the London Haymarket, continue their season without any Summer intermission. It cannot, however, be said that the popular appetite has sought for quantity rather than quality. The demand, on the contrary, has been such as to show a genuine and steady improvement in the popular taste. When melodramatic pieces have been brought forward at the comedy theatres—a step which experience has shown to be occasionally, in a business sense, judicious—they have been, in each instance, comparative failures. The coarser show-pieces at inferior houses have been less attractive than formerly; and the chosen temple, or final refuge of opera bouffe, has dragged out a lingering, moribund existence, patronized only by the less intelligent and more equivocal classes of the town.

The illustration of SHAKESPEARE on the Metropolitan boards this season has been creditable; and the extraordinary trouble taken in these and other plays to do justice to archæological accuracy has been gratifying. Managers are learning that New-York has become so great a city, and one so liberal, withal, in paying for its pleasures, that bold and open-handed outlay in mounting dramatic ventures is the soundest business policy. The public ask for much more than they once did; but they are willing to pay for more. The theatre-going community is increasing in a swifter ratio than the population. At the same time, it will be generally acknowledged that the demands upon the Press for current examination of this branch of art have grown greater and more fastidious. It has become necessary to deal with the stage as a matter of wide public interest, and, in its bearing upon social and moral questions, of serious public importance. A new play or artist can hardly be disposed of now with those hasty generalizations that were deemed sufficient a few years ago; and appreciative analysis is now required for what was once passed over with merely superficial comment. This, like other phases of development, is simply a reflex of the progress of the people; and hence it may be regarded as an auspicious token of Metropolitan advancement in art.

In music, the same indications have been as conspicuous as with the spoken drama. The brilliant advent of Mlle. NILSSON opened the season under happy and encouraging circumstances; and the almost interminable succession of concerts, offering programmes in many instances of singular excellence, has shown how strongly the tide of popular favor has set toward the nobler and grander productions of musical art. Even in much-abused Italian opera, the behavior of the public has evinced its desire for excellence. Refusing to countenance those outbursts of feeble charlatanry, that have grown too common here, opera-goers have demonstrated their willingness to encourage honest effort by their support of the brief season of Mr. ALBITES. There was much that was faulty in the works produced; but, considering the difficulties, the results attained were extremely honorable, and the public saw fit to prove its agreement with that opinion. The great improvement of Miss KELLOGG was at once a theme of general comment during this season, and a chief source of its profit. Again, in evidence of public willingness to sustain what is really good, the concerts of the Church Music Association may be cited—a body which has been able in conduct, lofty in aspiration, and, consequently, prosperous in achievement.

The fierce heats of the New-York Summer will naturally soon begin to thin off audiences in our theatres and concert-rooms, and many pleasure-seekers will begin to look about for substitutes. Places in which fresh air, music, and other light entertainment could be enjoyed in the height of Summer, have long been highly desirable in New-York, and are yet very inadequately provided. There are, notwithstanding, two places of Summer amusement—the Central Park and Terrace Gardens—which are, we believe, quite unexceptionable, and at which the music, conducted respectively by Mr. THEODORE THOMAS and M. JULLIEN, equals any of the same type to be heard anywhere in the world. Going further up-town—and few, indeed, would have thought five years ago of going beyond Sixtieth-street for amusement—we are reminded of a festivity that is close at hand, and which, for a time, will eclipse all others. The Spring races at Jerome Park promise to be of the most lively and brilliant description. The entries for the great events are numerous, the stakes heavy, and—for our novelty-loving people always hunger eagerly for that of which they have been long deprived—the public interest is keen. From appearances, the Spring meeting of '71 should be the finest Jerome Park has yet witnessed; and we hope, for the sake of the best-directed and least objectionable effort in behalf of the turf yet made in the United States, that it may prove so.

Fraudulent Legislation.

The *World* charges Hon. JOHN H. SELKREG, Republican member of the Assembly, and editor of the Ithaca *Journal*, with having himself interpolated the provision in the Supply bill which he complains was fraudulently struck out. The provision authorized the Governor to appoint two Republican Commissioners, to act in conjunction with the five Democratic Commissioners, in superintending the building of the State Reformatory at Elmira; and the *World* attributes the alleged fraudulent act of Mr. SELKREG to a desire to be appointed one of the Commissioners. We are content to leave this charge to be answered by Mr. SELKREG; but when the *World* asserts that it was "understood in Albany" that Mr. SELKREG was the perpetrator of this or any other fraud, it asserts what cannot be substantiated. We doubt whether the *World* can name a respectable member of the Legislature, even of its own party, who will say that he "understood," or believed any such thing. But if, as the *World* admits, the provision alluded to was found in the Supply bill after it reached the engrossing-room of the Assembly, having passed both Houses, we should like to know who had the authority to strike it out? If it can be proved that it was fraudulently inserted, that would furnish a good reason for the Governor vetoing the bill, and also a good reason for ferreting out and punishing the perpetrator of the fraud; but we deny that an engrossing clerk, or the Governor, or any other authority outside of the Conference Committee, had a right to strike out any item of the bill, whether fraudulent or otherwise, after it reached the engrossing-room.

MINOR TOPICS.

A rather obscure dispatch comes from London, of which we have endeavored to make sense. It appears that Herat, so long called "the key to India," has been taken by YAKOOB KHAN, who is the heir apparent to SHERE ALI KHAN, Ameer of Cabul. SHERE ALI enjoys a subsidy from the British Government, and the possession of Herat would not be objectionable to the rulers of India, although Persia and Russia would look at the matter in a different light. It may be, however, that the Ameer has only been engaged in crushing one of the insurrections which are a feature of daily life in Afghanistan, and that he does not intend to hold Herat. It may also be that the Russians have urged him to make this move—for nothing is more common than for an independent Eastern ruler to take pay from two masters at once. In that case, Russia's long project of aggression in India may soon make a noise in the world—and the approaching visit of the Czar to the Emperor of Germany may have a definite purpose. The gold *pro quo* for the Czar's neutrality during the late war is still to be made known. Is it that Germany will "watch" England while the Czar goes to work in India? More improbable things have happened. Altogether, we are inclined to look upon this brief dispatch as containing very serious news.

M. THIERS, for a man professedly so loyal to republican institutions, seems extremely anxious to get rid of his republican colleagues. M. FAVRE and Simon find that their bureaux of Foreign Affairs and Public Instruction are wanted for some politicians more familiar with the traditions of the Rue de Poitiers. With a Cabinet composed exclusively of Orleanists and Legitimists, M. THIERS will find it exceedingly hard to make people believe in the sincerity of his republican professions. The new President ought, by this time, to have a tolerably correct idea of the strength of political parties in France. In making his Cabinet still more conservative, he expresses his faith in the support of the peasantry and the priesthood as the most stable elements in French politics. It is, however, a clear disregard of the lessons of the last forty years to assume that counting of heads furnish a safe estimate of the political forces of France. In uniting against his administration the combined ranks of the moderate and extreme Republicans, M. THIERS will find himself compelled to secure the support of the reactionary parties, either by breaking with the Republic altogether, or by maintaining such an one as will be equivalent to personal rule founded upon the sword.

There are, to judge from the advertising columns of English metropolitan journals, American ladies, invariably of "first position," whatever that may be, who are smitten with the desire of having "board and residence" with "a family of the nobility." One of these fastidious persons adds, "no one need respond save of distinguished position." Note the exquisite euphemism of "respond," and the slight incoherence of the grammatical construction, as unquestionable proofs of the "first position" of the advertiser. No knights, baronets, or younger sons need apply. It may be questioned, indeed, if a lord of any creation posterior to Queen ELIZABETH's would have a chance. Dukes, Marquises or Earls would doubtless be preferred, and probably a German princeling might find his application favorably received. It is mildly intimated that the use of a carriage is expected whenever desired. This, of course, will include the menials with wondrous calves and abundant hair-powder, not to speak of the family crest. The mind recoils before the price which this "American lady" must be prepared to pay for her board in circles so exalted. Why does she not advertise for a partner in life in the shape of an impecunious English nobleman—character and antecedents no object? There are always plenty of such persons in the market. Such an acquisition would be almost as cheap as the right to bask in the reflected lustre of a title and a coat-of-arms.

Fearful as have been the transgressions of the Paris Commune, it is impossible not to applaud the resolution arrived at by the Swiss Federal Council with reference to the extradition of political refugees. Neighboring Powers have rather hastily committed themselves to an indiscriminate delivery to the French Government of Communists seeking shelter within their borders. With characteristic republican impartiality, the Swiss authorities have decided that an investigation must be had in each case, and only those refugees are to be delivered over who are proved to be guilty of ordinary crime. Of course, the wanton destruction of public buildings comes under this category, though the mere fact of having borne arms under the Central Committee does not.

Two lessons stand out prominently from our latest experience of the dangers of the mine. The first is, the very urgent need of a system of strict supervision and inspection of these perilous subterranean workshops. Had there been duly qualified State inspectors of mines, the West Pittston Company would have been long ago called to account for their flagrant neglect of the provisions of the Ventilating act, and the elasticity of the consciences of corporations would have had one batch of victims the less. Another notable moral to be drawn from the disaster of Saturday is the parts incidental to the neglect of artesian connection. At Avondale the fire originated about the furnace at the bottom of the shaft, and in sending down a current of air with the intention of relieving the imprisoned miners, the flame was made to burn more fiercely, the noxious gases were driven to the farthest crevices of the mine, and the certainty of every man being killed was immensely increased. At the Pittston shaft, the fire originated at its mouth, and many lives might have been saved by the timely erection of a new flue, and the introduction of fresh air into the compartment below where no flame had penetrated. By applying the fatal experience of one case to another which, in this respect, it did not resemble, a similarly disastrous result was produced, and another illustration was afforded of the necessity which exists for increasing wariness in the rudimentary industries of their trade.

On the authority of the *Echo de Paris*, we cannot transmute the highly sensational report that it was intended to translate the operations of the defeated Communists of Paris to the capital of King LEOPOLD; that insurrection was to be incited, the palace probably blown up, and the very tragic farce of the French revolt to be played over again. Belgian politicians are, at present, greatly exercised over the extension of the electoral suffrage, and a statement like this from the organ of the *doctrinaire* liberals, who oppose the movement, closely resembles an invention for the purpose of discrediting the cause of local radicalism. Brussels, like other large European cities, has its own knot of socialists and political fanatics, but they are barely numerous enough to support a single newspaper, and could hardly have made a strong stand against the city Police. If the Paris revolutionists ever seriously thought of going to Brussels, they must have been as great fools as they were rascals.

There are encouraging symptoms that the ordinary passiveness of car conductors, and of car passengers as well, is being gradually laid aside. A conductor of a Third-avenue car distinguished himself yesterday by resisting the entrance of an intoxicated passenger, whose the request for admission was emphasized by the free display of an open knife. On a Seventh-avenue car, a passenger detected another paying professional respects to a lady's pocket, and promptly seized and held him till a policeman took him in charge. A little more of this kind of procedure would have a most salutary effect upon the pests of car travel. And as too many of the conductors are, it is well to bear in mind that some of them do exhibit an honest desire to do their duty. In such case a little moral, and if need be, physical support from the passengers, is likely to have the best possible effect. In dealing, for instance, with the nuisance of smoking on the front platform, there is a decided necessity for passengers to show their determination to helping the conductors to suppress it. Even on a line usually so well conducted as the Fourth-avenue, parties leaving the outward appointed gentlemen may, any day, be seen disregarding the remonstrances of conductors against the practice. A little more official firmness would, in such instances, be no doubt desirable, but a decided expression of opinion on the part of the aggrieved female passengers would be equally timely.

Probably no man in the United States is more thoroughly acquainted with the business of insurance, in all its departments, than Hon. WILLIAM BARNES. His experience of Superintendent of the Insurance Department of the State of New-York, which he may be said to have organized, qualifies him to discuss all matters connected with either life or fire insurance. The business is each day attracting more attention, and anything which may contain information on the subject is eagerly sought for, and carefully studied. The report of the Life Association of America, published in our issue of yesterday, is the work of Mr. BARNES. It is carefully prepared, and gives a large mass of useful facts hereunder inaccessible to the public. The whole range of life insurance, both in Europe and the United States, is gone over, and the advantages of mutual, mixed and stock companies are explained. Upon the carefully-prepared and comprehensive tables, given in Mr. BARNES' very able report, a world of labor has been expended, and the deductions are so clearly made that any person of ordinary intelligence can understand them. The report contains many suggestions valuable alike to insurers and insured, and, indeed, it may be fairly said that a report of equal study and ability was never before presented on the same subject.

Among the bills from which Gov. HOFFMAN withheld his signature, is that abolishing the office of Canal Superintendent, and conferring additional powers on the Canal Commissioners. The reasons which the Governor assigns for this action are that the bill is unjust to the Canal Board, and that the law of 1870 has not yet been fairly tested. The law of 1870, which is a return to the management existing prior to 1854, has been amply tested. The system of repairing canals under the supervision of Superintendents was, after a fair trial, found very expensive to the State, and a cover for peculation. The management of the canals is, by existing laws, so divided among several boards and numerous superintendents that the people are at a loss where to fix the responsibility of mismanagement. The members of the Commercial Union, who exercise a special guardianship over the canals, have, in several Conventions, urged an enlargement of the powers of the Canal Commissioners, in order that there might be a somebody who could be held responsible for mismanagement. The vetoed bill conferred great but not extraordinary powers on the Canal Commissioners. In abolishing the office of Superintendent, it did no more than the State Auditor held was effected by the law of 1867. The last year was not, as claimed by Gov. HOFFMAN, the first of the Superintendent system; it was tried years ago, and found to be against the interest of the State. The Governor may honestly believe that the reasons given for his vote are good, but it is difficult to escape the conclusion that he has been influenced by the fact that the Democratic Party is committed against the policy of making ordinary repairs by contract—a policy which has saved the State millions of dollars.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA.

ARRIVAL OF THE ASPINWALL STEAMSHIP MONTIJO.

The steam-ship *Rising Star*, which left Aspinwall on May 20, reached this port yesterday. We subjoin copious extracts from our files and correspondence.

REVOLUTION IN PANAMA.

The Recent Revolution—Origin of the Trouble—Seizure of the Steamer Montijo—Extraordinary Proceedings—A Point in International Law.

From an Old Correspondent

PANAMA, Friday, May 19, 1871.

Your regular correspondent will furnish you with the facts of the present attempt of an armed faction in the Department of Chiriqui, in this State, to change the personnel of the State Government, and need not recount them. But some incidents connected with the rebellion, important to foreign residents, and especially to American property-holders and commercial men, have transpired, and some principles of international law have been enunciated and acted on, that should attract the attention of the Government at Washington.

Señors TOMAS HERRERA and MANUEL DIAS, both for many years in the employ of a transportation company here, and two or three others who had been ordered out of the State by Gov. CORREOSO for unsuccessful attempts at revolution, and been pardoned under at least implied obligations to keep the peace in future, finding that CORREOSO had many enemies among the population of this city, and but few friends in the Department of Chiriqui, rendezvoused at David, the capital of the department, to concert means to overthrow the State Government.

The first intimation we had here of any disturbance was that a party of armed men had entered as American steamer, the *Montijo*, of 250 tons, trading as an American bottom, commanded by an American master, manned by an American crew, having an American register, sailing under the United States flag, and withal a license from the United States of Colombia to enter and navigate rivers in the Bay of Panama and out of it, within the precincts of this State, in the prosecution of legal trade. The facts, as known to at the United States Consulate, show that the steamer at the time of her seizure had a full cargo on board, had steamed from thirty to forty miles down the river to its mouth, when some of her tubes were found injured, and she anchored to repair them.

While at anchor a party of men who had taken passage from David suddenly declared that they were in rebellion against the legitimate authorities of the State of Panama, and that they required the *Montijo* in aid of their cause. Capt. SANDERS, of course, energetically protested against giving up his vessel to them. Whereupon they ordered him to hoist the United States flag at the fore, a signal agreed upon between the insurgents and a vessel called the *Paredes*, loaded with arms and munitions for their service, that she should come alongside. On his refusing to do this, pistols were placed at the head of Capt. SANDERS to oblige him to submit. But he was still intractable, and the insurgents were finally compelled to make the signal themselves. Since then, the 5th of April, the vessel has been constantly in use by the insurgents, and her officers and crew forced to work her at the point of the bayonet.

Last Sunday morning the *Montijo* entered the port of the Island of Taboga, nine miles from Panama, and took by force, and under the protest of the agent there of the Pacific Steam Navigation Company, (a British corporation,) six-teen tons of coal and eighteen tons of water, leaving, in payment for the whole, $450. She then steamed about the bay, landing a few men at Agascate, and on Monday morning last landed 300 men, more or less, at within a couple of miles from the Panama Railroad station, where they have since been quietly intrenching themselves for battle with the Government troops.

Thus much for recital. The point is this: The British Consul, C. A. WILTBEW, Esq., on his being applied to by Dr. LONG, United States Consul, to recommend the British corvette *Chameleon* to seize the *Montijo*, which latter vessel had appropriated the coals while the *Chameleon* was in sight for her act of confiscation of British property, utterly refused to make such recommendation, on the ground that the Government of Colombia had, by its Constitution, granted belligerent rights to armed factions in the State of Panama, in accordance with the ninety-first article of the National Constitution of Nio Negro, which reads as follows:

"International law (*Derecho de gentes*) shall be considered as part of the national legislation. Its dispositions shall prevail especially in cases of civil war. Consequently such wars may be ended (or regulated) through the medium of treaties between the belligerents, who shall respect the humane principles of Christian and civilized nations."

Mr. WILTBEW contended that the nation had the right to, and had clearly invested in this article, the State of Panama, and avowed factions thereof, with all the rights enjoyed by belligerent nations; and having done so, the petty rebellions and revolutions of the States forming the nation of Colombia, which are incessant, were to be considered in all respects as wars between nations, and not be subjected to and enjoyed all the privileges of international law or usage. In other words, whenever a faction, or a dozen factions, were in arms in the State and against the State of Panama, they, and either, or all of them, had a right to seize and make foreign commerce in the ports, or foreign property, they only paying the proper rates of charter or value of such property seized and used.

To this doctrine Capt. HATCHER, of H. B. M.'s corvette *Chameleon*, and the United States Consul assented, and the *Montijo* is operating right under the guns of a British warship, and is probably at this moment again coaling from the British coal-sheds without the slightest movement or protest on the part of Her Majesty's servants.

Does the State Department at Washington concede this doctrine? If it does, may not any rebel or revolutionary faction in this city turn an American family out of their house and make it a soldiers' barracks or a stable for horses? May they not open the safe and take money, the sinew of war, from it, leaving only a receipt therefor, which their grandchildren may possibly but not probably collect? And if they can do this what need of United States Ministers and United States Consuls?

I cannot see that Colombia, in the article quoted, invests armed factions in States with any such rights as are claimed by Señor TOMAS HERRERA, and conceded by Mr. WILTBEW. But if it does, has it any such power? Can a single nation, through its Constitution, dictate what shall be international law to all nations of the world, or shall the usages of all the others be considered the guiding rule? Many anxious property-holders in Panama are awaiting a response to these questions. The simple interpretation of the ninety-first article of the Colombian Constitution is: That, as between itself and its States, and intestine wars being the rule, the Government, wishing to mitigate as much as possible their horrors, has consequently adopted in its Constitution a rule that is proposed, as between it and an armed faction or party of a State under its control, an humane method to soften those horrors.

I may add that the United States Consul claims that the insurgents committed in the case of the *Montijo* an act of piracy. But he claims this simply because the *Montijo* was seized before the revolutionary party became belligerents by a public declaration.

F. W. R.

Consular Intervention for a Settlement of the Trouble.

From the Panama Star & Herald, May 16.

On the appearance of the steamer *Montijo*, near Taboga, on Sunday morning last, and the circulation of a report, which appeared to be well founded, that the revolutionists had landed on Playa Venado, and were marching on the city, the Consular Body resident in Panama, with a view of saving further bloodshed and the consequent misery which would be brought upon our community in case an engagement took place, addressed a communication to Mr. THOMAS HERRERA, the leader of the revolutionists, with the approbation of His Excellency President CORREOSO, offering their services for the purpose of bringing the President and Mr. HERRERA into communication with each other, that they might, if possible, arrange an amicable settlement of the existing troubles. This letter was delivered to Mr. HERRERA on board the *Montijo*, on the afternoon of the 15th inst. Immediately on the receipt, Mr. HERRERA replied, thanking the Consular body for the disinterested services they had so kindly proffered, expressing his desire to arrange a peace, and appointing an interview with them, to take place on board one of the merchant ships in the Bay, at 7 P. M. the same evening. He also inclosed a letter for President CORREOSO, which he had written previous to the receipt of that from the Consular Body, in which he stated in still stronger terms his desire to treat for peace, to avoid bloodshed, to arrange amicably the present troubles and quell the excitement which existed in the city. In accordance with the request of Mr. HERRERA, a communication was addressed to President CORREOSO, stating the terms on which the revolutionists were willing to make peace and request a personal interview. At 10 A. M. on the 16th the Consular Body again met President CORREOSO at the residence of Mr. WILTBEW. On assembling, Dr. LONG, the United States Consul, begged to withdraw from taking any further part in the matter. President CORREOSO then read the propositions received from Mr. HERRERA, and stated that he could not for a moment entertain the proposals made. He was, however, willing to accede to the revolutionists the privilege of appointing seven officers to fill the different Government offices in the Department of Chiriqui, in which the revolution was inaugurated, and to make some other minor changes in the Administration of the State Government, but would do no more. In order to be acceptable to the revolutionists, he gave his ultimatum, a translation of which, together with the propositions of Mr. HERRERA, are published in another column. This reply of the President was handed to the Consular Body, who delivered it early the same afternoon to Mr. HERRERA on board the *Montijo*, anchored about four miles from the city, at which the revolutionary leaders gave no definite answer. The action of the Consuls here ended. They had brought the leaders of the opposing forces into communication with each other, and then left them to agree on whatever terms they deemed proper. Further negotiations were opened between the President and the revolutionary leaders on the morning of the 17th, by a deputation from President CORREOSO, composed of Messrs. J. A. ARANGO and A. VILLEGAS, Consul of Peru, who met the revolutionary leaders and arranged for a personal interview between them and the President on the place of the same afternoon on board the steamer *Panama*. The interview continued till about 8 P. M. There were present President CORREOSO and Private Secretary, Col. FORERO, J. A. ARANGO, M. J. DIEZ and Dr. NOGUERA on the part of the Government; and THOMAS HERRERA, MANUEL F. DIAZ, JOSE D. DIAZ and DOMINGO DIAZ representing the revolutionists. After discussing the questions at issue for four or five hours, the bases for a celebration of peace were partly agreed upon, subject to the approval of the other leading men of the revolutionary party who were not present. A definite reply is to be given to-day by the revolutionists accepting or rejecting these terms. Hardly a doubt exists but that the answer will be in the affirmative. Another interview is appointed to take place this noon, to consider the remaining points at issue, which were not discussed yesterday. Pending the final decision, the terms agreed upon have not been made public officially; we may, however, expect to have full particulars early this afternoon.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

Matters at San Miguel, in Salvador—A Three Days' Fight.

From the Panama Star & Herald, May 13.

From a correspondent we have received some details of what passed at San Miguel, in Salvador. After Gen. XATRUCH left that place, who, it will be remembered, after the battle of Pasiquina, marched into Honduras and had himself elected Provisional President of that State. On his departure from San Miguel, the command of the Department was assumed by Col. ANDRES GARCIA, who immediately took active measures to fortify and provision the place. There was some uncertainty as to the fidelity of the troops, and the place was kept in constant alarm by repeated rumors that President MEDINA with his forces was in Colomoncagua and Intibuca. Some processions were ventured on during the holy week, accompanied by a guard of soldiers. The head-quarters of Col. GARCIA was in the Convent of San Francisco, the walls of which were perforated for musketry and the neighboring street barricaded.

THE THREE DAYS' FIGHT IN SAN MIGUEL.

APRIL 7.—On the announcement of invasion by HONDURAS, the procession of the Holy Sepulchre was just crossing the Square, most of the people fled and the saints were left to themselves.

8. About 9 A. M. Gen. ESPINOSA attacked the place with 300 men. He at once took possession of the square, and firing between the assailants and the fortified convent of San Francisco, and from the roofs of the Cabildo, where a part of Col. GARCIA's force was also stationed. Both parties were armed with Chassepots. The result after the day's fighting was one man killed on both sides and several wounded.

9. At 5 A. M., being the hour of the resurrection of our Saviour, (observes our correspondent,) a sortie was made from San Francisco to attack those in the public square, but were driven back, leaving four killed and many wounded. One of the latter, who was sent to the hospital, said that out of fifty men who went to make the attack, only eight returned to the convent at 9 A. M. Col. GARCIA sent a flag of truce, asking to be allowed to send his wounded to hospital, which Gen. ESPINOSA agreed to. Nothing further was done till about 5 P. M., when the latter set out to meet 100 men, who were coming from LA UNION under Commander GOTAY. Having defeated them at the Pass of Voluasapa, Gen. ESPINOSA returned, and some firing was kept up during the night.

10. The firing continued, and the forces of GARCIA besieged in the convent. On blowing up a house near one of the convents by the besieging party, GARCIA got frightened and fled in the night, abandoning his fortifications and leading his troops away from the enemy, having thrown his powder and shot into the well, but leaving all his provisions, 500 suits of uniform and 200 arms. When the troops got out they scattered. From the day's fighting resulted one killed on each side.

11. Parties have been dispatched in pursuit of GARCIA. The town is quiet and orderly. Don ALEJANDRO BOCEM has been named Military Governor. Many of the dispersed troops of GARCIA and those of LA UNION have presented themselves, and given up their arms. Next day we heard of the arrival of President MEDINA at Moncagua. On the 13th Gen. MEDINA entered San Miguel, and was received with much enthusiasm. At the Cabildo assembled on the 14th and passed an act of *pronunciamento* against the Government of Duefias. News arrived that LA UNION had done the same; Amapala had been taken, and Don PEDRO DARDANO captured; the latter is the brother-in-law of DUEÑAS; he was set at liberty by RICHARD ESTRELLA, in exchange for some doubloons, and furnished with passports for Nicaragua. It is reported that XATRUCH took Comayagua without resistance; also, letters from Cojutepeque and Sarmiento assert that the forces of DUENAS have been routed by those under Gen. GONZALITOS, and that Salvador is probably by this time besieged.

On the 17th, President MEDINA and his 500 men left for the interior, leaving the three departments under the command of Gen. ESPINOSA, and, at the head of 200 men, gone to join the revolutionists.

Costa Rica.

Our dates from this State are to the 18th. We hear that another revolution had been initiated against the Government on the 8th inst., but before it had made headway, was disarmed and completely frustrated by the arrest of the ringleaders, who were expelled from the country.

Affairs in Salvador.

Our dates from this Republic are down to the 6th inst. Since the previous mail, which brought the news of the success of the revolutionary party under Gen. SANTIAGO GONZALEZ and the overthrow of President DUENAS, and the establishment of a Provisional Government with GONZALES as President, nothing of importance has transpired in the State. Ex-President DUENAS and Gen. MARTINEZ were still under confinement in the military college at the capital. A commission had arrived from Nicaragua with a request from that Government for the delivery of Gen. MARTINEZ into its hands, in order to prevent his execution. It is stated that the Provisional Government of Salvador will comply with the requisition. On the other hand Ex-President DUENAS is to be placed on trial for malfeasance in office and misappropriation of the public funds. It is reported that Gen. GONZALES will hold the Presidency until the end of the term for which DUENAS was elected, which will expire in March, 1872. The elections take place in October next. The election of a candidate for the Presidency will be brought forward by the Gonzales party, and, as a matter of course, is sure to be elected—Gen. GONZALES' ambition being satisfied with the command-in-chief of the army, in which position he will virtually rule the country. Like all other Governments in these countries which have come into power by revolution, the Provisional Government of Salvador is uttering words pregnant with promises of progress and reform for the Republic. It remains to be seen if greater virtue will be practiced by it than by those Governments which have gone before, and whether it be possible in Central America for the rulers of a State to make their own selfish interests subordinate to the welfare of the country and the mass of its people.

SOUTH AMERICA.

The Electoral Campaign—Probability of a Peaceable Period.

From the Panama Star & Herald, May 19.

From our correspondent's letters from Lima, (dated April 28,) we gather that the Peruvian Electoral campaign, for the Presidency and Vice-Presidencies of the Republic, is resolving into a very definite shape. The news that was transmitted to us upon the 22d ult., respecting the determination of the Government to officially support no ticket whatsoever, is amply confirmed, thus giving another proof of the really patriotic manner in which Col. BALTA designs to act, and giving the opportunity for a fair and impartial hearing of the voice and opinions of the people. Untrammeled by the odious presence of troops at the polls, by the constant and successful efforts of the Prefects and superior officers in the more populous districts to secure the coming elections, bids fair to inaugurate a new political era in Peru, which will tend to give even a stronger impulse to the country in its present sturdy march toward prosperity and importance. Don MANUEL PARDO, apparently the favorite candidate of the more populous districts, has created, as it were, at work in all the important cities and towns, organizing the forces of the civil party into something like uniform order. In a meeting held the other day in Lima, and attended by the principal citizens of that capital, Mr. PARDO said that he considered many of the evils that had hitherto befallen Peru could readily be traced to the indifference and apathy with which peaceful politics had always been regarded in the country; that no unity of action or interchange of opinion had ever existed, and that the voter had been content with casting his vote, and retiring to his home, never giving a thought to the fact that the duty of the citizen is not only to elect the rulers but to advise them. It was the object of the Pardo party to establish this principle on a basis of operations; and whether the organization succeeded or not in gaining a majority for its candidature, the result would always be beneficial in consolidating strength, and making generally known a plan which must prove greatly to the advantage of the country under every point of view. The ideas of Mr. PARDO, who is a man of much intelligence and considerable experience, were very favorably received. Dr. UBERT, Gen. ECHENIQUE, and various other lesser lights were spoken of as candidates, but had not openly appeared upon the scene. The prospect is considered as most satisfactory, and no conflict is anticipated.

THE LOST CAUSE.

A Full Report of Jeff. Davis' Speech in Augusta, Ga.—Punishment with Him "Played Out"—Northern Loyal Men, he Reasserts, "Feel Their Inferiority" to Southern Traitors and Rebels.

We have this morning a full report, given by Democratic authority, of JEFF. DAVIS' speech at Augusta, Ga., on Thursday night last, in defense of the Lost Cause and in defiance of loyal sentiment in the North and the South. To those in the North, if any there be, who believe that the old rebellious spirit in the South is crushed, and who urge that for that reason bygones should be bygones, and the Southern leaders all be pardoned and readmitted to all the rights and privileges they forfeited by their treason, this speech is submitted as worthy of more than passing consideration, with the reminder that it was delivered in the presence of many of the most influential "Democratic" citizens of Georgia, and by them loudly applauded. This is the speech:

MY FRIENDS AND FELLOW-CITIZENS OF GEORGIA: I feel that I have a peculiar claim upon the people of Georgia, and that the people of this State have, also, a peculiar claim upon me. My father was a citizen of Georgia many long years ago, and to him have I often listened in the days of my boyhood as he told to me traditions of the great revolution. It was in this City of Augusta—the ancient old town upon the banks of the Savannah—that my father, then but a mere boy, came to join the revolutionary forces, and enlisted beneath the American flag. I am proud of my father, and proud of his State. If it is a crime to feel proud of this sire—to glory in his devotion to the cause of the right—to remember with exultation his services in defence of liberty, then, my friends, is it also a crime to oppose a despotic centralization of power, and uphold *the right of a State to withdraw from a voluntary compact* entered into only for the preservation of the freedom of them all. If this is a crime, then am I a criminal, and *it is the only offence of which I have been guilty.* I repeat, Georgians, that I claim to be of Georgia descent, and I glory in my lineage. Although the distinguished gentleman who welcomed me to your city with words so kindly and so eloquent, has said that you pay a tribute to me by your presence here to-night, I cannot think that he was correct in this remark. It is not a tribute to me individually, but *because you feel that I am one of yourselves*—that you come here to me honored. And while I am fully aware of this fact, do not imagine that I feel at all mortified at it, or that my vanity is wounded because *you honor me only as the representative of your cause. That cause is dear to me—more precious even than life* [applause]—*and I glory in its remembrance.*

Gentlemen, you have let me say to you that I well know how every utterance of mine is seized upon by the organs and members of a certain faction. I am well aware of the eagerness with which every word of mine is catught up, and the ingenuity with which it is distorted and used in furtherance of designs upon my people, and hence I dare not speak to you as I desire. My heart is full to overflowing, God knows, but I cannot speak. Many memories of the past are struggling in my brain, but I must be silent. Though I must not speak, it is no fear for myself which commands my lips to be closed. No; I have been punished for my crimes, and have experienced the worst which could be imposed. In the cant language of the day, *punishment with me is to "played out."* The worst that can be done has been done, and I have no more to fear. If I speak it is not myself, but you who would be injured, for, unfortunately, additional wrongs can yet be heaped upon you. Therefore, if I claim merit for anything, it will be for keeping silent. My simplest words may work you harm. If I say, "Good night, my friends, go to your homes," and a Congressional investigating committee happened to be within hearing, its members would swear that I directed you to go off and join the Ku-klux. [Laughter and applause.] *Filled with that jealousy which springs from the knowledge of their inferiority, and of the justice of your pretensions,* and conscious of broken covenants and a violated Constitution, they mistrust every movement, and tremble with fear when they think that right may again prevail. [Applause.] But wrong cannot always be triumphant. I will say nothing, and you must do nothing, even though tyranny oppresses grievously upon you. Forbear for a season, and a day will come when all will yet be well. I may not, nor may some of you live to see it, but it is surely coming. [Applause.] He who reigns above and lives always will see that justice is done. He will not allow the wicked to always remain in power, nor the righteous to be oppressed. We can wait until that day comes, and, in the meantime, *be quiet.* 'Tis an old and wise saying that a good biting dog never barks much. If we wait patiently, a sense of justice will yet return to the people of the United States, or an opportunity will come when our rights can be gained, and not only our rights—the rights of the South—but the rights of all the people; the rights which were fought for and obtained at the point of the sword in the first revolution. [Applause.] But though I cannot and should not speak, I fear that where the mind and the heart are both so full that I will not be able to restrain my words. I cannot think one thing and say another, and unless the honest emotions of my soul can be expressed, I

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MARRIED.

DUTTENHOFER—TAYLOR.—At Stuttgart, Germany, on Wednesday, May 10, 1871, at St. Catharine's English Church, by Rev. Mr. Tarminter, CARL E. DUTTENHOFER, Cavalry officer in the Royal Wirtemberg Army, to MAMIE WOODRUFF, only daughter of the late Robert W. Taylor, of New-York City.

LANGE—DENTON.—On Sunday, May 21, 1871, at Vernon Valley, Long Island, by Rev. Sidney G. Law, Pastor of Presbyterian Church, EDWARD J. LANGE, son of Gustave George Lange, of Darmestadt, Germany, to SARAH CORNELIA DENTON, of Brooklyn, Long Island.

DIED.

BOWEN.—On Sunday, May 28, after a short but severe illness, WILLIAM BOWEN, in the 76th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Wednesday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, from the Ross Hill M. E. Church, East 27th-st., between 2d and 3d ave.

BACON.—On Thursday, May 25, CARRIE LEONARD, infant daughter of Theodore O. and Susie B. Bacon, of this City.

CHURCH.—In Brooklyn, on Saturday, May 27, SIDNEY S. CHURCH, aged 70 years and 5 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, Nos. 229 and 228 Washington-st., on Tuesday, 30th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M.

LYMAN.—At Glen Home, Staunton, Va., May 23, MARGARET, wife of N. E. Lyman, and daughter of the late John Peck, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

PECK.—At Washington, New-York, 27th month, 20th, ANNIE E. BROWN, eldest child of Samuel H. Brown, aged 7 years, two months and one day.

Funeral, Third day, 30th, at 1½ o'clock, P. M., from the residence of her uncle, Wilson M. Powell, No. 258 West 16th-st., 10th City.

NIX.—At Hempstead, Long Island, Saturday, May 27, ANNA E., daughter of John and the late Eliza M. Nix, in the 20th year of her age.

Funeral services at the residence of her father, on Monday, 29th, at 3 o'clock P. M. Burial to take place in Green-Wood, Tuesday, at 12½. All friends are invited without further notice. Train leaves New-York from foot of Hudson-st. at 5 P. M.

ONDERDONK.—On Sunday, May 28, MINNIE, only daughter of William M. and Mary J. Onderdonk, in the 6th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the Reformed Dutch Church, Washington-square, (Dr. Hutson's,) on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

PEARSALL.—On Monday evening, May 29, ROBERT W. PEARSALL, of Brentwood, Long Island, son of the late Thos. W. Pearsall, in the 36th year of his age.

Notice of the funeral hereafter.

RICHARD, on Tuesday morning, 30th inst., SARAH STEWARD, in the 82d year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at her late residence, No. 130 6th-av., on Tuesday, 30th inst., at 4 P. M.

SAUNDERS.—On the evening of the 29th inst. ADAM SAUNDERS in the 56th year of his age.

The relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 227 Bridge-st., Brooklyn, on Wednesday afternoon, May 31st, at 2 o'clock.

WIGHT.—At Roslyn, Long Island, May 28, GEORGE FRANKLIN, eldest son of Franklin and Mary Elizabeth Wight, in the 11th year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A PITIFUL CONDITION.

It is a sad thing to pass through life only half alive. Yet there are thousands whose habitual condition is one of languor and debility. They complain of no specific disease; they suffer no positive pain; but they have no relish for anything which affords mental or sensuous pleasure to their more robust and energetic fellow-beings.

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POLITICAL.

REORGANIZATION OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY OF NEW-YORK.

NEW-YORK, May 29, 1871.

To the Republican Electors of the City of New-York:

Pursuant to the resolutions of the Republican Committee adopted at a meeting of the Republican Party in this City, the undersigned have appointed the following Committees for the several Districts, to superintend the reorganization of the Republican Party in this City, the undersigned have appointed the following Committees for the several Districts, to superintend the reorganization of the Republican Party in this City:

The Committees of the several Districts are directed to meet at such places within their Districts, as they may select, on Friday Evening, June 2, and Saturday Evening, June 3, from 7 to 10 o'clock, at Election Building, corner of Broadway and Bleecker-st.

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HENRY J. CRAWFORD,
JOSH COSSWORTH,
JOHN ROBINSON,
WM. MCMONNIGAL,
CHARLES STEINHAUER.

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JAMES MURRAY,
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GEORGE METHERCOTT.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Yesterday, (May 29,) in real estate matters, was a quiet day, no sales taking place at the Exchange, and nothing of particular interest occurring. Business for the remainder of the week, however, will be more active, as the auctions to be held are of importance. Today, at the Exchange, a large number of unimproved City lots will be offered for sale, respectively by E. H. LUDLOW & Co. and ALLEN & BROWN, while A. J. BLEECKER, Son & Co. will dispose of tenement property on Mulberry-street. In Brooklyn WYCKOFF & LITTLE will offer desirable real estate located in that city, and at Rutherford Park, N. J., A. D. MELLICK, Jr., & BROTHER will conduct an extensive sale of suburban lots. Full details in regard to these proposed transactions were published yesterday, but for further particulars reference is made to our advertising columns.

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MOSES WILKINS, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF TWENTY-SIX VALUABLE AND DESIRABLE LOTS, ON AVENUE A, EAST 80TH AND 81ST STS.

E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on TUESDAY, May 30, 1871, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, N. Y.:

AVENUE A, SOUTH-WEST CORNER EIGHTY-FIRST-STREET—Four lots, each 25.6 by 100.6 feet.

EAST EIGHTY-FIRST-STREET—Eight lots, north side, 409.6 feet west of Avenue A; each 25 by 102.2 feet.

EAST EIGHTY-FIRST-STREET—Eleven lots, south side, 307 feet west of Avenue A; each 25 by 102.2 feet.

EAST EIGHTY-FIRST-STREET—Three lots, north side, 460 feet west of Avenue A; each 25 by 102.2 feet.

A is opened, and being sewered; 80th-st is graded, curbed, guttered, and being sewered; 81st-st. is graded, curbed, guttered, and being sewered. All the above lots are even with the grade, and free from rock.

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Maps, &c., at the office of the auctioneers, No. 3 Pine-st., New-York.

WILLIAM M. LITTLE, Auctioneer.

BY WYCKOFF & LITTLE, TUESDAY, May 30, at 12 o'clock, at No. 370 Fulton-st., Brooklyn:

No. 68 WALWORTH-STREET—West side, between Fillary-st. and Myrtle-av., three-story frame dwelling and store, 22x33; lot 100 feet; fifteen rooms. Sale absolute.

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550 SPLENDID BUILDING LOTS
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FIFTEEN NEWLY-FINISHED HOUSES
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TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES,

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Beautifully situated on high ground, commanding magnificent views of the East River and Long Island Sound.

Also, three new cottages within five minutes' walk of the depot, on finished avenues, which are already sewered, curbed, guttered, and macadamized and paid for. Thirty trains daily on the best equipped and managed railroad in the country. Two steam-boats land daily at Whitestone. The houses were built by Elmendorf, and finished in the best style, and contain furnace, range, hot and cold water, gas-pipes, stationary tubs, bath-tubs, and water-closets. Each house has eight rooms, marble mantels, grates, and registers. The taxes are limited by charter one-half of one per cent. This is the first opportunity afforded where such extensive improvements have been made and paid for. The great accessibility of this property to our City, the salubrity and great beauty of the country, and the vast improvements now being made by the proprietors of this place, offer inducements for suburban residences never before presented to our citizens. Terms most favorable. Maps and particulars at No. 77 Cedar-st.

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EXECUTORS' SALE.

V. K. Stevenson, Son & Co.,

R. P. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer,
will sell
AT AUCTION,
ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 1871,
at 12 M., at EXCHANGE SALES-ROOM, No. 111 Broadway, by order of executors of
ISAAC DYCKMAN,
deceased, over

500 LOTS ON BROADWAY

and contiguous streets and avenues, being the remaining part of
THE DYCKMAN HOMESTEAD
and comprising upward
ONE HUNDRED ACRES.

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SIXTY-FIVE PER CENT. ON MORTGAGE.

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

On the tenth day of December, A. D. and hereof, at 12 o'clock, at noon, at the office of the NEW-YORK AND AUSTIN SILVER MINING COMPANY, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New-York, in order to enforce the payment of certain bonds mentioned and described in the trust deed hereinafter mentioned, made, executed and delivered by GEORGE MACCULLOCH MILLER and JOHN A. STOUTENBURGH, of the City of New-York, to certain bonds, duly and properly executed and made in pursuance of the provisions of the United States Internal Revenue laws, wherein and whereby, the said New-York and Austin Silver Mining Company, for the purpose of securing the payment of said bonds, encumber in fee simple, and convey to the said New-York and Austin Silver Mining Company, for the benefit of the holders of the interest coupons thereto attached, the premises hereinafter described, and all over to the said party of the second part, and to their successors and assigns forever, certain property described in said deed, as follows, to-wit: All the right, title and interest of the said party of the first part, in and to that certain portion, claim and mining district, known as Lander County, State of Nevada, as well in possession as in expectancy, of the said New-York and Austin Silver Mining Company, of, in and to the same and every part thereof.

Said grant and conveyance was upon the certain trusts in said deed expressed and declared, to the effect that in case default should be made in the payment of any of said bonds, or the interest coupons thereto attached, according to the tenor and effect thereof, then in such case, after thirty days from and after such default, upon the request of the holders of a majority of said bonds, the said George Macculloch Miller and John A. Stoutenburgh might, and upon the written request of the holders of a majority in interest of said bonds, should enter into and upon, and take possession of all or any part of the said property, rights and premises thereby conveyed or intended so to be, and by trustees or by attorneys in fact of the Company, by themselves or by their agents, attorneys, servants, or substitutes duly constituted, should cause the said property, rights and premises, or so much thereof as should be necessary for the purpose, to be managed and worked by the Company, and should charge the principal and interest of all or such bonds as aforesaid as might then be outstanding or unpaid as aforesaid, to be sold at public auction, at the City of New-York, in the County and State of New-York, giving at least twenty-one days' notice of the time, place and terms of such sale and of the property to be sold, by publishing the same in at least two newspapers printed in the City of New-York once in each week for at least three weeks next preceding the day of such sale, and with power to make and deliver a deed or deeds to the purchaser or purchasers, and to apply the proceeds as directed by said deed.

Default has occurred in the payment of the interest coupons due on such of said bonds as have been issued by said Company, and of the principal thereof pursuant to the provisions of the bonds, and the whole sum thereby secured becomes due, and said trustees have received the written request of the holders of more than one-half of the bonds now outstanding to take possession of the said property and premises, and to sell the same according to the terms of said deed.

Notice is therefore hereby given that the said trustees will, on Saturday, the 10th day of June, 1871, at 12 o'clock at noon of said day, at the Exchange, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, proceed to sell the said premises and property, in the order in which it is described in said deed, at public auction to the highest bidder, that the terms of said sale will be cash per cent. cash at the time the property is struck down, the deed on the 20th day of June, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the trustees, No. 12 Wall-st., New-York City, at which time the deed or deeds will be ready for delivery.

MAY 29, 1871.
GEORGE M. MILLER,
JOHN A. STOUTENBURGH, } Trustees.
MILLER, STOUTENBURGH & PECKHAM, Attorneys for Trustees, No. 12 Wall-st.

J. COLE, Auctioneer.

POSITIVE SALE BY PETITION.—
BROADWAY—Four lots north-east corner of Sixth-st.
SIXTH-AVENUE—Four lots north-west corner of Fourth-st.
TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH-STREET—Six lots north side, adjoining above.
NINTH-AVENUE—Four lots south-west corner of Two Hundred and Fifteenth-street.
TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH-STREET—Nineteen lots south side, adjoining above.
TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH-STREET—Eight lots north side, 200 feet east of 10th-av.
TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH-STREET—Eight lots south side, 200 feet east of 10th-av.
TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST-STREET—Eight lots north side, 200 feet east of 10th-av.
Also, 50 shares of the Carnelian Mining Company, Seventy per cent. of the purchase money to remain on bond and mortgage.
Maps, &c., at office of auctioneer.

BLACK HAWK GOLD MINING COMPANY OF NEW-YORK.

AUCTION SALE BY TRUSTEES.

Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned, BENJAMIN WHITE and BERIAH WALL, of the City of New-York, in the State of Rhode Island, the duly appointed trustees of the property and effects of the said Black Hawk Gold Mining Company, having taken on the twenty-eighth day of May, A. D. 1867, at twenty minutes past nine A. M. in Liber 20 of Deeds, page 440, and recorded in the office of the County Register of the County of Lander, in the State of Nevada, on the 3d day of June, 1868, and which is now or was heretofore known as the Florida Ledge, together with the mine thereon known as the Florida Mine; together also, with all over, the property of the Corporation known, now or formerly as the Florida Gold and Silver Mining Company, wheresoever the same may be situate, and of what nature or kind soever; and whether real personal or mixed property, with all the dips, spurs and angles; and also, all the metals, ores, quartz, rock and earth in or dug from, and now lying on said property, and mining rights; and all the rights, privileges and franchises thereto incident, appurtenant and appurtenant, or therewith usually held or enjoyed.

Also, all and singular, all other mining rights, privileges and claims, and all mines, ledges and veins of every nature and kind now owned by the said New-York and Austin Silver Mining Company, or to which they now are, or may in any manner be entitled, situate, lying and being in the aforesaid County of Lander, in the State of Nevada, excepting and reserving therefrom, however, all those three certain ledges or mining claims situate the county aforesaid, and known as the Samaritan Ledge, Rubicon Ledge and Genesee Ledge.

Also, all that certain lot or parcel of land situate, lying, and being in the City of Austin, in the aforesaid County of Lander, and known as Lot No. 1 (one) in block number two, (2,) Upper Austin, being the same premises conveyed by Dennis Tarney and wife to the said New-York and Austin Silver Mining Company, by deed bearing date the 12th day of June, 1867, and recorded in the office of said County recorder in Liber 20 of deeds, page 544 together also with all mills, buildings, engines, shafts, tunnels, hoisting works, machinery, fixtures and materials, and all other property owned by the said parties of the first part, and being in or upon the mining rights, ledges, property or premises above described, and hereby conveyed, or intended so to be, in any manner connected with or used therewith, or appertaining thereto.

Together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances, and the rents, issues and profits thereof, and also all the estate, right, title, interest, privilege, claim and demand whatsoever, as well in law as in equity, of the said The New-York and Austin Silver Mining Company, of, in and to the same and every part thereof.

Said grant and conveyance was upon the certain trusts in said deed expressed and declared, to the effect that in case default should be made in the payment of said bonds, or the interest coupons thereto attached, according to the tenor and effect thereof, then in such case, after thirty days from and after such default, upon the request of the holders of a majority of said bonds, the said George Macculloch Miller and John A. Stoutenburgh might, and upon the written request of the holders of a majority in interest of said bonds, and which were located and taken, or securities to the number of said district by A. C. Peacham, David Wood, Peggy Squire, Isaac W. Bonnell, and R. Tyson, Jr., on or about

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Anglia.....Sat., July 1 Edinburgh.....Wed., June 28
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Rates of passage, payable in currency, to Liverpool, Glasgow or Derry, first cabin, $80 and $100, according to position.

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Cuba, Wednesday, June 28 | China, Saturday, June 24

RATES OF PASSAGE.

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CITY OF LONDON.....Saturday, June 3, 2 P. M.
CITY OF WASHINGTON, Saturday, June 10, 12 M.
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IDAHO, Capt. PENN.....June 14, at 2 P. M.
MANHATTAN, Capt. FORSTIN.....June 17, at 2 P. M.
COLORADO, Capt. T. F. FREMAN.....June 21, at 2 P. M.

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GENERAL BARNES, Capt. RALIOT, THURSDAY, June 1, from Pier No. 36 North River, at 3 P. M.
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MAGNOLIA, Capt. PALMER, SATURDAY, June 3, from Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 P. M.
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COLLECTIONS WANTED ON CHICAGO, KEOKUK, DES MOINES, IOWA CITY, ST. JOSEPH, and other points in the Western States.

OFFICE OF CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN } RAILWAY COMPANY,
NO. 52 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, April 29, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stock and bond holders of the Chicago and North-western Railway Company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Chicago, on THURSDAY, the 15th day of June next, at 1 o'clock P. M.

The transfer-books will be closed on the 26th day of April inst., at the close of business on that day, and reopened on Saturday, the 24 day of June next, at 10 A. M.
JOHN F. TRACY, President.
A. L. PRITCHARD, Secretary.

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW-YORK, Nos. 144 AND 146 BROADWAY.
NEW-YORK, May 13, 1871.

AN ELECTION FOR NINE TRUSTEES of this Company, to hold office for four years, in place of those Trustees whose terms expire on that day, will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, June 5, 1871.

The polls will be open at and from 12 o'clock noon, until 3 o'clock P. M.
JOHN M. STUART, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY, NEW-YORK, May 2, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE shareholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company for the election of Directors and the transaction of other business will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Chicago, on WEDNESDAY, May 31 inst., at 12 o'clock noon.

The transfer-books of the Company will be closed from and after the 15th inst., and until the 1st day of June proximo.
L. A. CATLIN, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK EQUITABLE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 52 WALL-ST.,
NEW-YORK, May 25, 1871.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION for Directors of this Company will be held at their Office on MONDAY, the 5th day of June next.

The poll will open at 12 M. and close at 1 o'clock P. M.
JOHN MILLER, Secretary.

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Scrip of all issues wanted by WM. C. GILMAN,
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GOLD BONDS,
OF
TWO RAILROAD COMPANIES
COMBINED, HAVING A PAID-UP CAPITAL OF
EIGHT MILLIONS,
WITH 250 MILES OF ROAD IN OPERATION, CONNECTING
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BY THE
MOST DIRECT ROUTE POSSIBLE.

THE BONDS SECURED BY A FIRST MORTGAGE ON THE FIRST FORTY MILES WEST FROM NEW-YORK CITY AT THE RATE OF $20,000 PER MILE.
$25,000 PER MILE ALREADY EXPENDED ON THAT PORTION OF THE ROAD.

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ALSO,
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INCLUDING AN EXTENSIVE VARIETY OF
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ISSUE LETTERS OF CREDIT TO TRAVELERS, AVAILABLE IN ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD, THROUGH THE
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Bartholomew House, Bartholomew-lane, London, E. C., April, 1871.

HARLEM EXTENSION RAILROAD COMPANY.—Notice to Stockholders.—The annual election for thirteen Directors of this Company, for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, corner of 26th-st. and 4th-ave., in the City of New-York, on TUESDAY, the 13th day of June next. The polls will be opened from 12 o'clock noon until 2 P. M. of that day.

The transfer-books will be closed from 2 o'clock P. M. of the 26th day of May next until 9 o'clock A. M. of the 14th day of June next.

R. C. ROOT, Secretary.

BOARD OF FINANCE AND TAXATION,
JERSEY CITY, May 11, 1871.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the improvement of Jackson and Bowne streets, Jersey City, from Grand to Sussex Sts., 1871, will be paid on presentation, with accrued interest at the Controller's office, Jersey City.
ROBERT HUTTON, Clerk.

NEW-JERSEY RAILROAD AND TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the New-Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of business, will be held at the office of the Company, in the city of Jersey City, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of June next, at 11 o'clock A. M.
F. W. RANKIN, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an election will be held at the office of the New-York Bridge Company, No. 31 Fulton-st., in the City of Brooklyn, on Monday, the 5th day of June, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon, of that day, for fifteen Directors of said Company, for the then ensuing year. Dated May 1, 1871.
HENRY C. MURPHY, President.
G. L. QUINTARD, Secretary.

FINANCIAL.

TURNER BROTHERS,
M. C. Turner, T. C. Turner, J. Turner, R. Turner. } BANKERS, { A. Turner, G. M. Turner, J. S. Decker.
No. 14 Nassau-st., N. Y.,
(Corner Pine-st., opposite United States Treasury.)

The Accounts of Banks, Bankers, Merchants, and others, are solicited.
Interest allowed on Deposits.
Certificates of Deposit issued, available at all business centres.
Collections made on all points. Governments, Stocks, Bonds Gold, &c., Bought and Sold on Commission. Liberal Advances made on Approved Securities.

UNITED STATES TREASURY.
NEW-YORK, May 29, 1871.

During the month of June, 1871, I shall, by order, receive bids for Gold, and offers of Bonds, as follows:

BIDS FOR GOLD.
THURSDAY, June 1—Two Millions.
THURSDAY, June 8—One Million.
THURSDAY, June 15—Two Millions.
THURSDAY, June 22—One Million.
THURSDAY, June 29—One Million.

OFFERS OF BONDS.
WEDNESDAY, June 7—One Million.
WEDNESDAY, June 14—One Million.
WEDNESDAY, June 21—One Million.
WEDNESDAY, June 28—One Million.

A certified check for five per cent. of bid or offer, must be deposited therewith. Proposals will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, each day specified. The Treasury may, at its option, accept offers of bonds or bids for gold in excess of the amount advertised for.

Printed forms for proposals, with the regulations to be observed, will be furnished at this office.
THOS. HILLHOUSE,
Assistant Treasurer United States.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a certificate for 125 shares of the capital stock of the Harlem Gas-Light Company, being certificate No. 1,318, issued to Thomas Smith, Apr. 19, 1869, has been lost, and that an application will be made to the Company for a duplicate certificate thereof. A suitable reward will be paid to any one returning the lost certificate to CHARLES B. SMITH & CO.,
No. 40 Warren-st., New-York.
NEW-YORK, May 27, 1871.

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National Savings Bank,

THE FREEDMAN'S SAVINGS AND TRUST COMPANY, (Chartered by the Government of the United States.)
No. 8 BLEECKER-ST., NEW-YORK.

A SPECIALTY made of allowing interest from date of each deposit on sums of $10 and upward.

All deposits payable ON DEMAND, with interest due. Call or send for circular.

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BOWERY, SOUTH-WEST CORNER OF CANAL-ST.

Assets $7,428,120 04. Money deposited now will bear interest from June 1, at the rate of six per cent. Interest is computed on the 1st days of January and July only, on the amount then in bank for the number of calendar months the same has remained on deposit. Bank open every day from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on Mondays and Saturdays from 10 A. M. to 7 P. M.

UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK,
Nos. 293 and 295 CANAL-ST., corner of Light.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST PAID. Assets, $3,115,000 00.
Surplus, $215,567 65

NEW-YORK SAVINGS BANK, 8TH-AV., CORNER 14TH-ST.—Six per Cent. Interest paid on all sums from $5 to $5,000. Deposits made on or before June 1 will draw interest from June 1. Assets, $3,209,268 63. Surplus, $275,416 78.

DIVIDENDS.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY,
OFFICE NO. 61 WALL-ST.,
NEW-YORK, May 15, 1871.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL INTEREST DUE June 1, 1871, on the Preferred Stock of the Ohio and Mississippi Railway Company, will be paid on and after that date at the office of the Company, No. 61 Wall-st., New-York. The transfer-books of the preferred stock will be closed on May 20, at 3 o'clock P. M., and reopen on June 1, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of Executive and Finance Committee.
R. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE TOLEDO, PEORIA AND WARSAW RAILWAY COMPANY,
NEW-YORK, May 20, 1871.

THE COUPONS DUE JUNE 1 ON First Mortgage Bonds of the Toledo, Peoria and Warsaw Railway Company (Eastern Division) will be paid at the office of Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, No. 28 Exchange-place, on and after that date, less Government tax.
ZENO SECOR, President.

THE QUICKSILVER MINING COMPANY,
NO. 10 NASSAU-ST., NEW-YORK,
May 24, 1871.

THE INTEREST COUPONS DUE June 1 next on the First Mortgage Bonds of this Company will be paid on and after said date, upon presentation at the office of Messrs. EUGENE KELLY & CO., No. 21 Nassau-st.
DAVID MAHANY, Secretary.

AUCTION SALES.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

GAS STOCK AT AUCTION.—ADRIAN H. MULLER & SON WILKENS & CO. will sell at auction, on WEDNESDAY, May 31, at 12½ o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, for account of whom it may concern:
200 shares Manhattan Gas-light Company, $50 each.
10 shares Metropolitan Gas-light Company, $100 each.
$6,700 Metropolitan Gas-light Company Scrip Stock.
50 shares Harlem Gas-light Company, $50 each.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of ADOLPH F. SEASTEDT, bankrupt.—In pursuance of an order made in this proceeding on the 26th day of May, 1871, the subscriber will, on the 5th day of June, 1871, at 12 M., at No. 571 Broadway, by Burdett & Dennis, auctioneers, sell the personal property of the bankrupt above named, consisting of cigars, tobacco, &c., &c. Dated May 26, 1871.
GEORGE H. SHARPE, United States Marshal.

EDWARD M. BROWN, Auctioneer.

BY T. R. MINTURN, BROWN & CO.—THIS DAY, (Tuesday,) May 30, at 11 o'clock, within their store:
70 boxes fresh Sorrento Oranges.
500 boxes fresh Palermo Lemons, November cut.
100 boxes fresh Palermo Lemons.
100 boxes fresh Messina Lemons.
200 boxes fresh Menton Lemons, landing.

GEORGE A. LEAVITT, Auctioneer.

LAW BOOKS AT AUCTION—CLINTON Hall Book Sales-rooms, GEORGE A. LEAVITT & CO., Auctioneers. THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 7½ o'clock, sale of a PRIVATE LIBRARY of LAW BOOKS. Also, a fine MISCELLANEOUS LIBRARY. Books on exhibition.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE—THAT ON the 26th day of May, A. D. 1871, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of JOHN HALLORAN, of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to chose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 165 Broadway, in the City of New-York, before Mr. Henry Wilder Allen, Register, on the 16th day of June, A. D. 1871, at 11 o'clock A. M.
GEO. H. SHARPE, U. S. Marshal,
as Messenger, Southern District of New-York.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of THOMAS FIELD FRANK, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the said Court by Thomas Field Frank, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts, and other claims provable against said estate; and that the 14th day of June, 1871, at 1 o'clock P. M., at the office of James F. Dwight, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, No. 7 Beekman-street, in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend, and show cause, if they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.—Dated New-York, on the 17th day of May, 1871.
GEORGE F. BETTS, Clerk.
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of IMOGENE WALTON, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Southern District of New-York, ss.—At the City of New-York, the 21st day of April, 1871.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate and effects of Imogene Walton, of the City of New-York, in said district, who was, on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1871, adjudged a bankrupt, upon the petition of her creditors, by the District Court of the United States for the said Southern District of New-York.
JOHN H. JOHNSON, Assignee in Bankruptcy,
my23-law3w Tu* No. 316 Broadway, City of New-York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of CHARLES H. BRINKERHOFF, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Before Josiah T. Willard, Register. To whom it may concern.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of Charles H. Brinkerhoff of New-York City, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within the district where he has resided, adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said district.

Dated at New-York City the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871.
WALTER C. PALMER, Jr., Assignee.
my30-law3w* No. 14 Bible House, New-York City.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of WILLIAM DESENDORF, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Southern District of New-York, ss.—At the City of New-York, the 13th day of May, 1871.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate and effects of William Desendorf, of the City of New-York, in said district, who was on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1871, adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the said Southern District of New-York.
JOHN TODD, Assignee in Bankruptcy,
my16-law3w Tu* No. 23 Broadway.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

FOR SALE—A FINE PAIR OF dark horses, sixteen hands high, seven and eight years old, and perfectly sound and kind; were bought in Northern New-York and sold in consequence of owning or going to Europe. Also, a three-quarter seat road wagon, built by Dunsbury & Van Duser; has been used six months only. Set of double and single harness, made by Lowden. Inquire at private stable, No. 130 West 37th-st., between 5 and 11 A. M.

PRICES DOWN.—CARRIAGES, HARness; immense stock; every reasonable style; every description harness, viz.: Ladies' pony harness, buggy, double, light, heavy and medium, at very lowest popular prices, at Carriage Manufacturers' Union Repository, No. 698 Broadway.

GEORGE J. MOORE, NO. 279 BOWERY, manufactures every kind of carriage, wagon and buggy, under his own supervision; he can insure the best quality of work. Repairing promptly attended to. Prices low.

EDWARD MURPHY, CARRIAGE Maker, No. 324 Greenwich-st.—All work made under personal inspection. Every facility for repairing enables me to do jobbing at reasonable rates. New and second-hand carriages constantly on hand.

NO. 235 EAST 34TH-ST.—PRIVATE stable; a gentleman can give board for 4 cows of horses; very fine accommodation for horses and carriages; all on ground floor; can secure for coming season.

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CARLTON AND LANAHAN.

The Troubles of the Methodist Book Concern Again Before the Public—Argument on the Motion for a Mandamus Against Dr. Carlton—Yesterday in the Committee.

The often reported difficulties among the managers of the Methodist Book Concern in this City, came up issue of its legal phases before Judge CARDOZO, in Supreme Court Chambers yesterday. About a week since, on an affidavit made by Dr. LANAHAN, Judge INGRAHAM granted an order directing Dr. CARLTON to show cause why a peremptory mandamus should not issue against him, compelling him to give Dr. LANAHAN, as Assistant Agent, access to the check-books, cash-books and vouchers of the Concern. The cause having been called in its order on the calendar, Mr. A. J. VANDERPOEL, who appeared in support of the motion, read the following affidavit of Dr. LANAHAN, on which the motion was founded, and on which the original order to show cause had issued:

The People ex rel. JOHN LANAHAN vs. The Methodist Book Concern, in the City of New-York, and THOMAS CARLTON, one of the agents and corporators thereof. City and County of New-York, ss.: JOHN LANAHAN, being duly sworn, says that he is and by an act of the Legislature of the State of New-York, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Methodist Book Concern, in the City of New-York," passed April 11, 1858, THOMAS CARLTON and JOHN LANAHAN, agents of the Methodist Book Concern, and their successors in office, were created and are a body politic and corporate by the name of the Methodist Book Concern of the City of New-York, and by that name and style they and their successors have perpetual succession, and are capable of holding property, real, personal and mixed. That it is further provided in and by said act that the said THOMAS CARLTON and JOHN LANAHAN shall hold their offices until the quadrennial session of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in May, 1872, or until a successor or successors shall be elected in their places, and they shall have the management and superintendence of the affairs of the said body corporate during their term of service. Deponent further says that prior to the enactment of the aforesaid act of the Legislature, the agents for the Methodist Book Concern were and had been appointed by the General Conference of the M. E. Church and their successors as such agents were authorized to take and hold real estate, in trust for the purposes of such agency, by an act of the Legislature entitled "An Act relating to the Methodist Book Concern in the City of New-York," passed April 1, 1837; that said THOMAS CARLTON was duly appointed agent of the Book Concern in 1853, and has continued such agent to the present time. That this deponent was duly appointed such agent in June, 1856, and has continued agent to the present time; that at the time of the passage of the aforesaid act of incorporation the said THOMAS CARLTON and this deponent, as agents aforesaid, held a large account of property, both real and personal, and by the terms of said act all real and personal property so held by or in the name of said or other any former agents became the property of said corporation. Deponent further says that for the purpose of administering the trust so as aforesaid devolved on them, and of ascertaining the condition of the property held by or standing in the name of the agents, or former agents of said Book Concern, has been turned over to said corporation, this deponent desires to examine the books of said Concern, and has applied at the Book-rooms, book-books and vouchers from 1856 to the present time. That he had been fully investigated the said JOHN LANAHAN was afterward, to October, 1870, appointed by said Book Committee from his functions as such assistant agent, and remained so appointed until January, 1871, and about the time he was so suspended he was in the act of examining and inspecting the books and papers of the said Book Concern in order to prepare for his defense. Whereupon the said Book Committee framed the resolution at their October session, 1870, a copy of which is hereto annexed, extracted from the journal of the Book Committee. Under the privileges thus accorded the said LANAHAN, this deponent as such agent permitted him and two or three accountants employed by him to have access to all the books and papers of the establishment without limitation or exception; and he kept such accountants employed in the examination thereof for about ten consecutive weeks, and during that time he and his accountants had access to and inspection of all the books and papers of said Book Concern as they desired, and it is not true that he was refused access to the books and papers of said Concern. Deponent says that during said proceedings of the Book Committee, promises of future behavior were made by him in his behalf, and afterward, although he was brought to trial, the said Book Committee, without going into the trial, restored him from suspension in the same to the full possession and control of the affairs of the Book Concern, as aforesaid, which was done by a vote of [illegible] to [illegible], a copy of which is hereto annexed, having as appears by the minutes of the Book Committee, been passed on the [illegible] day of May, 1870, adopted a resolution, as follows: [illegible] Resolved, That Dr. CARLTON, agent, be, and he is hereby instructed to exercise his authority as such in the management of the affairs of the concern, so far as he shall find it necessary to the safety and success of the same.

And the said resolution was duly certified in the minutes in opposition by Rev. LE ROY M. VERNON, then Secretary of said Committee. And deponent says that during the year 1869, the said JOHN LANAHAN was subjected to various unjustifiable and unlawful charges by said Book Concern; and the said Book Committee were of opinion that the said charges were [illegible] and unfounded, and that the said JOHN LANAHAN was entitled to be restored to the full possession and control of the affairs of said Book Concern, as aforesaid, which was done by a vote of [illegible] to [illegible], a copy of which is hereto annexed, having as appears by the minutes of the Book Committee, been passed on the [illegible] day of May, 1870, adopted a resolution, as follows: [illegible] Resolved, That Dr. CARLTON, agent, be, and he is hereby instructed to exercise his authority as such in the management of the affairs of the concern, so far as he shall find it necessary to the safety and success of the same.

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